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SILVER

Fixing Exchange. World Production High And Low

The suggestion made in these columns that bankers should throw off their bashfulness and appear in public more frequently with their views is apparently going to bear some fruit. Following his discourse before the Nanyang University Economic Society some time ago on "How to read the Financial Columns of THE CHINA PRESS" Mr. Percy Chu, Manager of the Chekiang Industrial Bank a few days ago gave an interesting lecture on the trend of silver before the same society which was preceded a week before by a discussion on silver and exchange in China.

The clarity with which the banker explained the method by which the current exchange rates in Shanghai were fixed was an interesting feature of the address. He showed how the rate for the gold dollar was arrived at, and the formula should be of interest to many a layman. Assuming that the T. T. rate of the Shanghai tael is 3s., 0 3/4d. and the cross rate between New York and London is G. $4.50 1/4 for £1, then the way to arrive at the bank's selling rate for 100 taels is to multiply 3s. 0 3/4d. (36 3/4d.) by 4.50 1/4 and divide by £1 (240d.).

The bank's buying rate figuring being approximately as follows:

T. T. selling rate	36.75d.
45 days' journey to London at local rate of interest, say, eight percent	.3624
120 usance at London discount rate, say, 4½ percent	.5437
Bill stamps one percent	.3675
Brokerage one percent	.0459
(About 3s. 2 1-16)	38.0695

The banks usually add a little profit, and the rate instead of being 3s.2 1-16 might very likely be 3s. 2 1-4d.

PRODUCTION GAINS

The world's production of silver has in recent years been increasing. Last year's production was some 210 million ounces against 174,213,000 ounces in the preceding year, 170 million ounces in 1920, 176,460,000 ounces in 1919 and 198,395,000 ounces in 1918. This takes into consideration the production of all silver producing countries. That of Australia is approximately 10 million ounces yearly, of Peru a similar quantity, Japan 6 millions, Bolivia and Chili 4 millions, Spain and Portugal 4 millions, and Central American States 2,500,000 ounces.

During the last 90 years the highest point that silver touched was 89 1-2d. in 1920, and the lowest rate was reached in 1902, which was 21 11-16d. per ounce. The widest fluctuation in silver in any one year was in 1920, when a variation of something like 5s. 5 3/4d. was witnessed. In 1883 the narrowest movement was seen, and that was only 1 1-2d. per ounce. The widest fluctuation in 1920 was the result of the unprecedented demand for silver by India and China during the Great War.

STABILISATION PLAN

While on the subject of silver it is interesting to note the feeling in London over the proposal of the Silver Export Association just formed in the United States to stabilise the price of silver. The "Economist" says that "well informed London opinion states emphatically that the suggested scheme is doomed to failure and that it will do more harm than good." No reasoning is advanced to show that it would prove a failure and be productive of harm. The only thing the "Economist" fears is that "any artificial rise in the price of this important commodity would at once release some of the long-hoarded supplies in India and China.

"That is certainly open to question. Briefly put the Silver Export Association will have a capital of five to ten million dollars with powers to borrow up to 50 million gold dollars. It seeks to handle the world supply of new silver and stabilise the price. Three of the biggest American silver-producing companies are in this combine, and they handle between them something like 55 percent of the world's annual output of silver. These companies are the American Smelting and Refining Company, the Anaconda Copper Mining Company and the United States Smelting and Refining Company. The Silver Export Association expect to handle in the course of a few years 75 to 80 percent of the world's silver production. So it would be seen that it is going to be a big factor in the silver situation in the future. Surely, such a big force cannot be scoffed at by the London bullion brokers.

Weather

Fine and cold weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 66.1 and the minimum 36.5, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 63.9 and 36.5.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Lincoln, Nov. 24.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jackson, Nov. 27.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Porthos, 10 a.m. tomorrow.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Chambord, Nov. 25.

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GOVERNMENT LEADERS BID FOR SUPPORT IN ELECTION

Conservatives Must Stand United, Their Plea

FEAR LIBERALISM

Re-united Liberals, Not Socialists Are Menace

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—The Earl of Balfour, the Earl of Derby, Mr. Austen Chamberlain and Sir Robert Horne were present at the Constitutional Club today on the occasion of Lord Birkenhead's first election speech.

The Earl of Balfour exhorted all Conservatives to support the Government because a bare majority was insufficient to carry out the Unionist policy.

The Earl of Derby believed that he himself and Lord Birkenhead would accomplish a big task in securing a Conservative majority in Lancashire.

Lord Birkenhead said that he was utterly indifferent whether he held office if the Government were re-elected. He dwelt on the prosperity of protectionist countries like America, France and Italy.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain said that re-united Liberalism and not Socialism was their most dangerous opponent.

Moscow Incensed By Acquittal Of Murder Suspect

(Exclusive China Press)

Moscow, Nov. 20.—Great indignation has been expressed in the newspapers here over the acquittal at Lausanne of the man held for the murder of the Soviet ambassador Vprovsky.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Swiss Federal Council has decided to expel Pulunin, an alleged accompice in the murder of the Soviet delegate, M. Vorowsky.

Portuguese Chief Announces Policy

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Temps states that the Portugese Nationalist Premier, Senhor Machado, has declared that he will follow the policy of his predecessor and will apply himself to solving the financial crisis. Portugal will remain faithful to the traditional alliance with Britain and will strictly fulfil her international obligations.

Christmas Money Story Contest For The Children

THE CHINA PRESS begs to announce that $100.00 in prizes will be given to school children of the city between the ages of 10 and 16 who write the best Christmas stories for this newspaper.

The stories will be published daily in THE CHINA PRESS and also in the forth coming Christmas Number of the Sunday CHINA PRESS, to be issued on December 16.

The children are to be separated into classes, Junior and Senior.

Junior Children: 10, 11 and 12 years old.

Senior Children: 13, 14, 15 and 16 years old.

In the Junior class the stories must run from 500 to 1,000 words.

In the Senior class the stories must run from 700 to 1,500 words.

The prizes in each class will be the same.

First prize: $25.00.

Second prize: $15.00.

Third prize: $10.00.

All the stories must be in the office of THE CHINA PRESS by noon on Friday, December 14.

Contestants, therefore, are not given very much time and all intending to compete are urged to start early on their compositions.

The stories must be written on one side of the paper, must be in ink and must be legible. Typewriters may be used by the contestants.

The stories must have something to do with Christmas. The scene must be laid in China. Anecdotes are not wanted. This is a short story contest—a fiction contest. Each story must have characters and a plot.

In addition to the prizes offered, a total of $100.00, THE CHINA PRESS will pay $5.00 for each story used.

Special Note: We have a surprise party for all children competing and for their parents, too. It's a secret just now.

EDDIE JOHNSON GOES TO JAIL FOR TEN DAYS

Rambunctious Pugilist Stages Battle In Astor Bar

Eddie Johnson, pugilist, who likes to fight so well he doesn't care whether he has on padded mitts or not, was sent to jail for 10 days when he appeared before U. S. Commissioner Nelson E. Lurton yesterday afternoon charged with being drunk and fighting outside the Astor Bar on The Broadway.

In sentencing him Commissioner Lurton reminded him that he had once signed the pledge to abstain from liquor for one year in the Court, and only a few days after had been sent to jail for 5 days for falling off the water wagon with a thump. The next time, the Commissioner warned him, he would be dealt with more severely under the vagrancy laws.

Two Sikh constables testified that Johnson and a sailor came out of the Astor Bar fighting. They were separated and went back in the bar, only to start another fracas, whereupon Johnson was arrested upon complaint of the bar manager. He was drunk and once laid down on the ground and refused to walk to the station, they said, and at another time fell out of a ricsha they put him in. Sgt. Bournes of the Hongkew police station also testified that Johnson was drunk when he was brought to the station, and Nicholas Rusesky testified that Johnson was drunk in the bar, used vile language, and was looking for trouble.

The real fight started, Rusesky

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TOBACCO PRODUCTS SELLS OUT TO BIG COMPETITOR

American Tobacco Company Purchaser For Gold $250,000,000

The American Tobacco Company has purchased the factories of the Tobacco Products Company with certain reservations, for a price reported to be G.$250,000,000 according to information received in Shanghai yesterday.

The local offices of the Tobacco Products Company, 49 Peking Road, are in receipt of the information, but they have received no official confirmation of the deal as yet, and have no information concerning the details.

According to the information received by THE CHINA PRESS The Tobacco Products Corporation sold a larger part of their factories manufacturing different brands of cigarettes and tobaccos in the United States, but reserved all their foreign factories, which means that the local factory of the Corporation on Yulin Road will not change hands.

In the United States The Tobacco Products Company sold control of their factories making Melachrino's, Herbert Tareyton's and Strollers, and numerous other brands, but retained control of the factories making Philip Morris' and the United Cigar Stores company and the numerous retail stores of that organization.

The Tobacco Products Company, it is understood, will continue making the brands they retained in their factories in Shanghai, Egypt, Santa Domingo, Canada, England, and South America.

The sale of organization's American interests is particularly interesting because of the report that the American Tobacco Company, the purchasers, are once more assuming their former importance as the biggest tobacco manufacturers in the world. Before the organization was dissolved it was known as the 'tobacco trust', but after the dissolution was split into three organizations, Liggett & Myers, P. Lorrilard, and the Tobacco Products Company. The British-American Tobacco Company was formed at the same time and took over all the foreign interests of the so-called trust. Since then the three big organizations have bought up numbers of their smaller competitors and the result has been the creation of three enormous organizations each almost rivalling the former trust. The purchase of the Tobacco Products Corporation is said to make the American Tobacco Company the largest tobacco organization in the world once more.

STRESEMANN TARGET OF SOCIALIST ONSLAUGHT

Reichstag Adjourned Amid Great Uproar

PLAN OF ALLIES

Banishment Of Crown Prince Not To Be Asked

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 20.—An important session of the Reichstag, designed to settle Dr. Stresemann's fate, adjorned today amid an uproar following denunciation by the Socialists of the Government's divergent attitude in Bavaria and in Saxony respectively. There was also a complaint that police were present. Herr Loebe, President of the Reichstag, explained that the presence of civilian police was due to numerous threats against the lives of members of the Government.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20—The analogy between the policies of Herr Cuno and Dr. Stresemann is emphasised. The latter, it is said, is cleverer but just as obstinate in founding hopes on disagreement amongst the Allies. In reality the tenure of office of the Cabinet is dependent on financial resources, which themselves depend on the support which British and American banks may give.

The Reichstag met today. Socialist and Nationalist speakers explained the points of view at their parties.

In the occupied territory at Duesseldorf there have been no cases of looting for two days owing to the energetic action of the municipal police.

The miners' trades unions organisations in the Ruhr are reported to be protesting against the proposed extension of hours of work. At Bochum speakers at a miners' trades union meeting declared that the workers would not let themselves any longer be led astray by the industrialists and capitalists who accused the French for the situation in the Ruhr when the misery of the workers was due to the attempts by the capitalists to evade payment of reparations. At the Erin mine, occupied yesterday with a view to direct exploitation, the miners who had been unemployed for several months asked to be allowed to go down into the pits at once and work was resumed last night. Workers' circles are favorably impressed by the energetic attitude of the occupation authorities towards the industrialists.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The German Charge d'Affaires has informed the Quai d'Orsay that the ex-Crown Prince has formally renounced his rights to the throne and that the German Government has decided not to allow the ex-Kaiser to return to Germany.

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The inter-allied reparations commission will meet on Friday to hear the explanations of the German experts regarding Germany's present financial position.

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 20.—Italo-British rapprochment is the main topic of political discussion in Rome. The Italian press dwells upon the question of Germany's right to exist in

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22 WOMEN OUT TO WIN SEATS IN PARLIAMENT

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 20.—Twenty-two women candidates have announced themselves for the general elections so far. Their party affiliations are: Four Conservatives, eight Liberals, nine Labor, one independent.

American Missionary Captured By Bandits

British Tank War Memorial

A British war tank, which was sunk in the mud while in action on the Ypres (Belgium battlefield, has been put to a unique use. It serves as a war memorial in the main street of the village of Rainoc selle. Behind the tank may be seen the memorial to Gaynemeyer, French ace of aces who met his death in aerial combat over the village.

The Streets Of Shanghai

Szechuen Road

By Irene Corbally Kuhn

Szechuen road at 5 o'clock when the evening shadows of late November are creeping into its narrow length! From Nanking road to the new bridge the street is a veritable tapestry in the making of busy life and swiftly moving figures and vehicles. The figures weave back and forth across the loom, their movements recorded in a kaleidoscopic pattern that is forever shifting and changing.

Within the narrow extent of a few blocks is reproduced in miniature a hustling, bustling activity that is not now and never was nor will be truly of the easy-going East. It is, rather, an imported coating of the western ideas of commerce and busy business, transacted while you wait laid over the smooth, placid foundation of the Orient's calm almost impersonal attitude toward trade competition.

Let no one be deceived into thinking this seemingly indifferent attitude toward commercial competition and western "rush" methods is not as good as the faster more direct attack, at least for China! No one knows whether the hare and tortoise of the fable were going to their respective offices when they started their race. If they were, it is a sad commentary on the effectiveness of "pep" methods and is a mighty favorable one on the Orient's slow and sure business proceedure.

Szechuen road, some day, will have to be widened, no doubt, to accommodate big business which waits not for time, tide or tardy clients. When it is, if it is, business will have murdered the old-time picturesqueness of the street.

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Just now Szechuen road is the Christmas street. In Marcel's are flaxen-haired dolls that don't need the "made in France" labels they wear. Paris is written all over them from their chic bonnets to their short vamp kid slippers and real silk socks. Scarlet coated, snowy-bearded Santa Claus, in a dozen different mechanical incarnations, to fill up vacant places in the windows, gaze solemnly out through the plate glass to the intricacies of traffic. One and all, they look as if they were wondering how the Daddy of Them All, the Santa Claus who is popularly supposed to live somewhere in the sky and stable his reindeer in a vacant cloud, is going to get those same reindeer and the accompanying sleigh through the ricshas, motor cars, wheelbarrows and what-nots on wheels and foot, on Christmas Eve.

Across the street epicurean delicacies in another window recall homeside holiday feasts. Still further on, a window full of hand-painted Christmas cards, embellished with Yuletide greetings in the best pidgin English and vivid reproductions of China babies, houseboys and well-dressed amahs, bring one back sharply to his present locale. And so it goes. High priced foreign delicacies on one side and a street-stand piled with deliciously edible and still more deliciously cheap Shantung peanuts on the other.

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A dark-looking shop with a view of its interior disclosing dismal looking tapestry covered furniture with near-art touches. Just at the entrance, in a side window, a curious, gaze-impelling framed specimen of a certain kind of art that at first glance looked like high class whittling. As I went closer to examine it the spirit of China, in the voice of a small boy, said "$60, missie," even while my lips were framing the question "what is it?" "It" proved to be a corkscape, which is not, as you might suppose, a vista of the famous Irish city. It was, rather, a view along a river in China, carved with the utmost skill, out of cork, so that

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KIDNAPPED ON JOURNEY OVER HUNAN BORDER TO KWEICHOW

E.W. Schmalzried Held, Says Changsha Dispatch

WOMEN RELEASED

Four Ladies In Party Are Permitted To Go On

(EXCLUSIVE CHINA PRESS)

Changsha, Hunan, Nov. 21.—Mr. E. W. Schmalzried, an American missionary, was kidnapped by bandits while traveling between Changteh, Hunan, and Tungjen, just across the Kweichow border, it was reported here today.

Four women, who were traveling in Mr. Schmalzried's party were evidently permitted by the bandits to resume their journey unmolested.

No details regarding the capture of Mr. Schmalzried have been received here as yet.

Mr. Schmalzried and his wife are attached to the mission of the Reformed Church in the United States at Shenchowfu.

U.S. MINISTER TO PEKING HERE ON WAY TO YUNNAN

Capital So Quiet Dr. Schurman Will Be Away Six Weeks

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, the American Minister to Peking, and Mrs. Schurman, arrived on the Express from Peking last night on their way to French Indo-China, for a short visit, and Yunnanfu, where Dr. Schurman will make an inspection of the last American Consulate in China he has not yet visited.

Dr. Schurman was met at the station by Consul-General Edwin E. Cunningham, Executive Consul James P. Davis, and Dr. W. T. Findley, president of the American Association.

The Minister had little to say for publication. Peking, because of various political developments, including the appointment of a new Premier which has not as yet been ratified by Parliament, has caused a cessation of diplomatic work for the time being, he said, and everything was so quiet in the capital that Dr. Schurman thought it would be an excellent time to make his longest trip a way from the diplomatic nerve center.

Dr. Schurman will sail on the French steamer Porthos tomorrow for Saigon, from where he will go to Haiphong, Angkor, Hanoi and Yunnanfu, where he will spent the Christmas holidays. He will return to China early in January.

Stratton D. Brooks Heads Missouri 'U'

BY UNITED PRESS

Columbia, Mo., Nov. 16.—Dr. Stratton D. Brooks was today inaugurated President of the University of Missouri, succeeding Dr. A. Ross Hill, Dr. Brooks assumed office July 1, coming here from the University of Oklahoma.

Lord Morley Leaves Estate Of £59,765

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Lord Morley left £59,765.

Red Cross Membership Campaign Closes Today

The annual membership drive of the American Red Cross will close today, when it is hoped that all who have not yet enrolled will sign up.

The drive is already a gratifying success, as figures showed yesterday, and it is believed that tonight will see the closing of the most successful campaign of its kind undertaken here. The number of members enrolled up to last evening was in excess of the total number registered during the last drive and strenuous efforts will be made today to shoot far beyond the previous mark.

Enrollment booths have been established in the downtown hotels and business houses and in the various American banks, so that the taking out of memberships is an easy matter for anyone. Today also a booth is to be installed in the Yokohama Specie Bank on the Bund, so that the prospective Japanese members may be more easily reached.

Mrs. Gardner Crane, chairman of the committee in charge of the campaign, expressed great satisfaction yesterday over the results shown and predicted further excellent reports for the closing day. Headquarters are in the offices of the American Commercial Attache, Dollar Building, and the volunteer workers, who have been doing such good work, are recruited from the American Woman's Club. Besides supervising enrollments at the various booths, the workers have been visiting the cafes and motion picture theaters, where many new members have been signed up.

The ordinary membership fee is $2, while fees for contributing and sustaining membership are $5 and $10 respectively. Many subscriptions of the latter two grades have been secured.

51 CHINESE GET 3 MONTHS EACH FOR A LYNCHING BEE

Mob Of 700 Enraged Celestials Brings Out Police Reserves

Fifty-one Chinese were sentenced to three months' imprisonment by Judge Garduno of the municipal court for having attempted to lynch a countryman of theirs, Tan Pho, of 1032 calle Comercio, says the Manila Times. A mob of 700 enraged Celestials took part in the disturbance, which was put down only by timely intervention of the police.

The trouble arose over an article printed in the Chinese National Tribune some days ago accusing Tan Pho of having attempted to sell a young Chinese girl to a wealthy Spaniard for immoral purposes. The same information was broadcasted in a circular throughout the Chinese district of the city.

Friday morning the police were notified by telephone that an unusual number of Chinese were congregating in the vicinity of Tan Pho's residence. A detail was sent out. When the policemen hove in sight, the mob scattered, but the officers managed to arrest five of the Chinese. Ten policemen were left on guard in anticipation of further disturbances.

Shortly after five in the afternoon, large numbers of Chinese began to congregate at nearby corners, coming from all directions, most of them carrying weapons. The police guard sent a rush call for reserves, which were immediately sent out. When the reserves arrived on the scene, more than 700 Chinese had congregated in the neighborhood of Tan Pho's house, many uttering threats against Tan's life.

The police charged the mob and arrested 47 of the would-be-lynchers. Police guards were stationed yesterday all around the scene of Friday's disturbance, but no disorder had been reported until a late hour in the afternoon. The Chinese consul has taken up the matter with Chief of Police Green.

Stresemann Target Of Socialist Fight

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accordance with the pronouncements of Premier Mussolini declaring Italy's unwillingness to co-operate in fresh sanctions, and opposes all attempts to break up the German nation.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Reuter's Agency learns that the provisional agreement of the Conference of Ambassadors provides that the Allies shall not demand the banishment of the ex-Crown Prince but that they shall insist that the German Government shall guarantee his good behavior.

It is also learnt that a special date will be designated for the resumption of military control and that General Nollet will arrange the resumption. The Control Commission will notify the German Government of the place and extent of the Commission's investigations beforehand. The German Government will be required to guarantee the safety of Allied officers. In the event of German recalcitrancy the Allies will discuss further measures.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Nov. 20.—Mr. Herbert Hoover denies that proposals are pending before the American Government for a loan for relief work in Germany. Mr. Hoover asserts that many suggestions have been made to President Coolidge, none of which the Government deemed it advisable to adopt.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Ambassadors' Conference did not meet today. The British Embassy informed the Secretariat of the Conference that owing to stress of business the British Government had been unable to instruct the Marquess of Crewe in time. British circles emphasise that the delay is in no way an unfavorable sign. There is strong confidence that a definite agreement will be reached.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Paris press approved the conciliatory attitude of the French Government at the Conference of Ambassadors as showing a sincere desire to maintain inter-Allied collaboration. It is hoped that a definitive agreement will be obtained.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Chamber of Deputies today almost unanimously voted that the recent statement by M. Poincare should be placarded.

The Senate today began the debate on the proposal for the repression of illicit increase (in prices).

The Streets Of Shanghai

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the temples, houses, people and even the small sampans on the painted blue water stood out corkingly in bas relief! Cork, as a medium for the wood carver's art, may or may not be new but it is certainly novel and the results are worthy of appreciation for the infinite patience and skill which they demand.

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The new bridge that crosses the creek and changes Szechuen into North Szechuen road, is truly, the "Beggars' Bridge." Mendicants of all sorts, conditions and ages bask in the privilege of being allowed to sit on the new concrete and wait for the foreigner who may be charitably inclined. But if China in all her aching rawness as represented in these happy-go-lucky, tattered unfortunates on the bridge, China in her newness was unblushingly apparent in the antics of several inhabitants of boats under the bridge.

When the flying pennons of a dying day incarnadine the western sky over Soochow creek, then the apostles of personal hygiene come forth. Carefully they spread out on the recently swabbed decks of their sampans the brass or bright colored basin which is the *piece de resistance* of their ablutionary efforts. From some recess under the decks is produced a small towel, passably fresh. A cupful of water is swooped up from the generous, if somewhat dirty bosom, of mother Whangpoo. First, the hygienic one soaks the towels and passes it with flipping motions over his face and hands. Next, he lowers his face into what is left of the liquid in the basin and he presently emerges and, pausing for an appreciable length of time, gives back to the creek the water he has used to help import to his teeth that clean, well-preserved, un-pyorrheaic look. The towel is then again pressed into service and, regardless of the interested, not to say pop-eyed, audience of one gazing at him from over the bridge rail, he industriously washes his face, ears, neck and arms up to the elbow and—believe it or not—he actually achieves a complete sponge bath from the belt up, from that original cupful of water.

A change of linen, or perhaps, it would be better to say, a change of coolie cloth, is next accomplished and, after removing several souvenirs of previous smokes from the pockets of his discarded working clothes, our hygienic hero throws them on the deck for friend wife to collect for the wash and called it a day.

Similar scenes are enacted in other sampans anchored in the creek and a good wash is had by all.

Asks Ratification Of Labor Treaty

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 18.—Mr. Lu Cheng-hsiang has telegraphed to the Government pointing out that while China has participated in the international Labor Conference she has not ratified the International Labor Protection Treaty. Mr. Lu asks for the matter to be placed before Parliament.

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HARBIN SEEKS DEATH PENALTY FOR RUSSIANS

Life Imprisonment Proves Insufficient To Check Crime, Is Claim

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 21.—In reply to inquiries regarding a report published in the Russian paper, Shanghai Life, of November 16, the Ministry of Justice today told Reuter's correspondent that it was true that the Harbin Court had requested the Ministry to sanction application of capital punishment for the worst Russian offenders, explaining that it was very difficult for the authorities of a special administrative area (the Chinese Eastern Railway zone) to control the most lawless Russian elements while imprisonment for life was the worst penalty that could be inflicted. The Court added that it was of the opinion that no other remedy would be successful. Taking these circumstances and views into consideration the Ministry of Justice gave the authority desired but as regards Germans, Poles and other people belonging to non-Treaty nations this authority was not given and the death sentence cannot be applied.

Stillman Seeks Divorce Through Higher Court

New York, Nov. 7.—James A. Stillman, multi-millionaire New York banker, denied a divorce from Anna Stillman by the lower court, today appealed to the appellate division, superior courts of Brooklyn.

Stillman submitted in evidence a letter purporting to be a confession by his wife that Fred Beauvais, an Indian guide, is the father of her son Guy.

Coolidge To Join Delta Theta Phi Fraternity

Washington, Nov. 9.—President Coolidge has accepted an invitation to join the Delta Theta Phi tendered at the last fraternity night. The initation will take place at the White House on November 23.

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THREE CHINESE CHARGED WITH STAMP FORGERY

Allege Trio Tried To Counterfeit One Dollar Issue

Three young Chinese charged with counterfeiting postage stamps of $1 denomination appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday and were ordered handed over to the Chinese authorities for trial.

The matter of the forgeries came to notice of the authorities after one of the accused, alleged to be the ringleader, had approached a post office employe to try and arrange to have the stamps marketed. After he had been arrested, Detective Sergeant Henry raided 326 Jukong Road, where he found plates for the printing of the stamps. The forgery had not been completed, the reproduction of the Temple of Heaven, which forms the center illustration, being missing. Evidently two impressions were to be made in issuing the bogus stamps.

Mr. G. M. Ross, of the Post Office, testified that the engraving was good, though he doubted if the stamps could have got extensively into circulation before the fraud would have been detected.

The second and third accused were arrested on information obtained from the first. The second accused, a printer, is believed to have made the plates.

Woman Is Jailed For Brutality To Little Slave Girl

For her brutal treatment of a nine-year-old slave girl, by burning her flesh with lighted cigarette ends and by beating her about the legs and back, a Chinese woman was sentenced to one month's imprisonment by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li yesterday.

Evidence was given by the matron of the Door of Hope, who stated that the child's body was covered with small scars and bruises. Those the accused tried to explain away by saying that the little girl had the itch and continually scratched herself until the blood came. The Magistrate indignantly reminded her that this could hardly be the cause of the many bruises.

Cotton Conference Is Unable To Agree

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 21.—Having found it impossible to introduce any system of control which would cover the whole cotton trade, the Joint Committee at Manchester has adjourned in order that the employers' section might consult their associations regarding the possibility of sectional control.

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Eddie Johnson Goes To Jail For Ten Days

(Continued from Page 1)

said, when Johnson threatened to cut all their throats and Corporal Douglas, who was present, shoved him out of the door. Johnson immediately hit him, and the fight was on. Gordon Owens, a ship apprentice boy, corroborated Ruseky's evidence.

JOHNSON'S STORY

Johnson admitted he had been drinking, but denied that he was drunk. Corporal Douglas had challenged him to a fight when he first came to Shanghai from the lumber camps, he said, but Douglas couldn't fight for money under orders from his Commanding Officer. Since that time, Johnson continued, he had been constantly nagging him on to see whether or not he could lick him just for fun.

In the Astor, he said, Douglas hit him first. In fact he hit him ten times before Johnson could get his coat off, and then he (Johnson) merely fought back in self defense.

"Did you use vile language," he was asked.

"No worse that is usual in the Astor Bar," he replied. "I live across the street and sometimes you can't sleep at night for the dirty songs they're singing there."

John Walsh, fireman, and John Quinn, sailor, also gave testimony that Johnson was not drunk, but that he was beaten up badly by the Sikh and Chinese police when he was arrested and being taken to the station. The police, they said, struck him a number of times with their batons.

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DEATH TAKES DR. CLIFFORD, NOTED DIVINE

London Clergyman Had Been Baptist Leader For Over 50 Years

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—The death is announced of the Rev. John Clifford, C. H., M. A., D. D., B. Sc., at the age of 87.

Note.—Dr. John Clifford, the Grand Old Man of Nonconformity has been a prominent Baptist leader for more than a half century. He was well-known to Londoners as the Minister of Praed Street and Westbourne Park Church, the cure of which he held for 57 years, retiring in 1915. Here his fiery oratory was sure to draw full congregations.

Though small in stature, he was endowed with indomitable energy as was testified by his preaching, but in his home circle he gained the affections of all by his humanity and mildness of temper.

Educated at the Baptist College, Nottingham, Dr. Clifford later went to University College London, and the London School of Mines. He was to a certain extent a self-educated man and his degrees were won rather late in life. He studied for examinations whilst working as a Minister, taking the B. Sc. with honours in 1862. In 1897 he made a tour round the world in the course of which he visited China. President of the World Baptist alliance from 1905 to 1911, he later presided over the World Federation of Brotherhoods in 1919-1920.

Dr. Clifford was greatly interested in politics and amongst his many published works there are several on the position of the Church in relation to the State, and on State education. His war-time publications were characterised by a spirit of optimism for the future and trust that from the chaos of the war there migh emerge an international brotherhood of man.

Radio Sets Used With Success On Ships' Lifeboats

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Two wireless transmitting sets, installed on ship's lifeboats, were successfully demonstrated in a fifty-mile journey at the Thames mouth. One of these, submitted by Messrs. Marconi's, possessed the advantage of recording the position of the receiving ship but required an expert operator. The other, patented by Captain Frost, is 19 inches long and nine inches deep, and can be operated by anybody. Signals sent out can be picked up sixty miles away.

Troops Pursuing Bandit Captors Of Catholic Priest

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 21.—The Tuli of Shantung has telegraphed to the Government expressing regret for the failure to afford protection to foreigners in that province and reporting that troops are pursuing the captors of the French priest and have located them at Chichsien.

Tsao Kun Seeking Vote On Premier

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 21.—This afternoon President Tsao Kun addressed a letter to the Lower House urging immediate action in respect of the nomination of Mr. Sun Pao-chi as Premier.

Good Gains Shown In Canadian Trade

(Reuter's Service)

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The Canadian trade returns for the twelve months ending in October show that imports totalled $912,000,000, an increase of $172,000,000 as compared with last year, and exports totalled $994,000,000, an increase of $179,000,000.

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W. C. T. U. Will Meet Today

Members of the Shanghai Women's Christian Temperance Union are reminded of the second regular meeting, which takes place this afternoon on Union Church Hall. A large gathering of members and their friends is expected, the object being to bid good-bye to Miss Christian Tinling who leaves for Burmah, India, next Tuesday.

Miss Tinling has spent three years in China and six months in Korea, travelling from province to province, speaking in schools and colleges on the scientific, moral and religious aspect of Total Abstinence, and wherever she has gone, has by the reasonableness and attractive method of her presentation of the subject, met with great encouragement.

This afternoon she will give an informal account of her travels, and illustrate her lecture with colored lantern slides, made from her own street snapshots.

Tea will be served from 4:30 to 5:15. This will be followed by music and the lecture.

Representatives of the National W.C.T.U., will be present, and possibly members of the Shanghai Total Abstinence League. But a cordial invitation (to all men and women, who may care to be present) is extended by the Women's Committee.

Lord Robert Cecil Stands By Cabinet

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Lord Robert Cecil, speaking at Hitchin today, denied the rumors of his resignation. He declared that as long as the Cabinet supported the League of Nations he would gladly cooperate. He was always a Free Trader, but that did not mean that it was no part of his duty to assist in procuring fair treatment for British exports in foreign markets. The Government should be given liberty to produce economic proposals.

Reichsbank Head Is Dead At Berlin

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 20.—The death is announced of Herr Havenstein, President of the Reichsbank.

Herr Havenstein came into prominence at the end of last year owing to his refusal of further credit to German commerce when the mark issue passed the 1,000,000,000,000 figure.

Argentina Lifts Ban On Cattle Purchases

Buenos Aires, Nov. 7.—The Argentine government today suspended for six months a decree applying the minimum purchase law to the purchase of cattle for export. American and other foreign buyers put in stop ordered when the new law became effective and Argentine cattlemen were threatened with ruin.

Panama Traffic Shows Big Gain

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 20.—In the course of the last year 3,697 ships, carrying 19,568,000 tons, passed through the Panama Canal. The number of ships under the American flag increased the most, while Japan alone showed a decrease.

Note.—The figure for the fiscal year of 1921 were 2,892 ships with 11,599,214 tons of cargo.

RUMOR STRIFE AS TSAO SEEKS PEACE WITH LU

Peking Is Filled With Wild Reports; Negotiations Are Now On

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 18.—In connection with the report that negotiations are in progress between the Central Government and General Lu Yung-hsiang, the Tuchun of Chekiang, a report was circulated in Peking last week that General Sun Chuan-fang, the Tuli of Fukien, had communicated with General Chi Hsieh-yuan, the Tuchun of Kiangsu, hinting that he intended to attack General Lu and asking General Chi to send Kiangsi troops to the Chekiang border to be ready for emergency.

The explanation given by Government circles for this rumour was that it was probably intended to embarrass the Government in view of the fact that foreign interests were so strongly opposed to hostilities in Kiangsu or Chekiang, while another quarter suggested that it was a Government ruse to impress General Lu Yung-hsiang's son, who had come to Peking.

It now appears certain that efforts to bring General Lu within the Northern fold are being made. This may explain General Wu Pei-fu's desire to visit the capital, for it is generally accepted in Peking that President Tsao is all in favour of peaceful negotiation with rival leaders, as opposed to subjugation by force of arms.

Drought And Rains Ruin Shensi Crops; Relief Is Sought

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 21.—The Tuchun of Shensi reports that following failure of the spring crops through drought, rains have ruined the autumn crops and inundated houses thus throwing the people of the province into dire distress. The Tuchun appeals to the Government generously to assist the homeless and destitute people.

Earl Of Cavan To Visit Singapore

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—The Earl of Cavan directly after Christmas will depart on an official visit to Singapore. He has also accepted an invitation to visit Australia and New Zealand, and will return in May via Canada.

Typhoon Damages Philippines Crops

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Nov. 20.—The typhoon caused damage amouting to hundreds of thousands of pesos to crops. Over a foot of rain fell in 24 hours on Monday.

REJUVENATION.
Dr. Strandgard is shortly leaving Vienna for the East, and will visit Shanghai on completion of his Indian tour in January, for the purpose of administering THE NEW VITAL GLANDS SERUM to a limited number of patients. This rejuvenating serum has been administered with marvellous results in London, Paris, Vienna and Berlin. Application strictly confidential to:
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Royal Visit May Lead To Entente

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—The possibility of an Italo-Spanish Entente as a result of the visit of the King and Queen of Spain to Rome is given much attention in the British press as likely to have an important bearing on British overseas communications.

Italian and Spanish community of interests in North Africa and the Mediterranean has been the theme of articles in the Italian and Spanish press, which emphasise the dominant position which a naval understanding would give both countries in the Mediterranean across the French line of communications with North Africa.

Government Wins Bulgar Elections

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Temps learns that the Bulgarian elections are continuing without incident and that the results hitherto appear to favor the Government Coalition.

SOVIET MAKING GREAT STRIDES, BRITISH REPORT

Business Men's Party Sees Big Improvement In Conditions

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—The report of the party of businessmen, headed by Mr. F. L. Baldwin, the corsin of the Premier and Chairman of the Becos Traders Limited, on their visit to Russia last summer expresses the opinion that conditions there are enormously improved.

Exports are greater than imports and the country's finances are on the way to stability. Trade prospects with Britain are extremely good. The huge trade with Germany has been lost. The mission is convinced that the Russian Government, if it can be assured of rapid development of industry, would assume all liabilities except inter-Governmental war-debts and would fix liquidation.

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CHRISTMAS MAIL GOES ON LINCOLN ON SATURDAY

Mail For Europe On Porthos Tomorrow

Taking the last U.S. mail for the States in November, the President Lincoln of the Pacific Mail will leave Shanghai for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu at 9.30 o'clock Saturday morning. The liner left Hongkong at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and is to dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf about 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Shinyo Maru of T.K.K. will also leave Woosung for San Francisco tomorrow evening, and the tender with passengers for the steamer is expected to leave the Customs jetty at 3.30 p.m. tomorrow. The vessel arrives at Woosung from Hongkong tomorrow morning, and inbound passengers from the ship are expected to land about 2.30 p.m.

Mail for Europe via the Suez will be sent on the M.M. steamer Porthos tomorrow, and closing at 10 a.m. for ordinary and 8 a.m. for registered matter. The Porthos is docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf yesterday, and will sail for Marseilles via ports at noon tomorrow. Passengers may embark after 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and trunks should be delivered to the Company's office by noon today.

With a heavy mail from the United States, the President Jackson is expected in Shanghai from Manila on November 27, and the President Taft will arrive from San Francisco via Honolulu as well as Japan ports a day later. The Jackson should dock at Yokohama today, and the Taft is due at that port tomorrow.

The next mail from Europe arrives on the Chambord next Sunday. The liner which sailed from Marseilles on October 19, left Saigon on Monday morning.

MEXICAN LEGATION DENIES CONSULATE TO BE MOVED

May Establish Trade Office In Shanghai, However

The Mexican Legation at Peking has issued a contradiction of announcement by Mr. Gustave Luders De Negri, Consul General for Mexico in Hongkong that a change of the Mexican Consular Offices from Hongkong to Shanghai in the near future was contemplated.

The Mexican Legation deems it necessary to let it be known that the said Mr. Gustave Luders De Negri has no authority whatsoever to give such declarations.

The Mexican Consular interests at Shanghai have been entrusted to the care of the Hon. Hugo Reiss, Consul-General for Brazil, who has been acting as Honorary Consul for Mexico at the said port and whose services have been found entirely satisfactory to the Mexican Government.

Albeit the satisfactory services of Mr. Hugo Reiss at Shanghai, the Mexican Government has order study the project of establishing a Consulate at Shanghai under the supervision of an active member of the Mexican Consular Service, with the only aim to develop the trade between Mexico and China, but at present does not deem proper either closing the Mexican Consulate at Hongkong or transferring it to Shanghai.

ARMED ROBBERS

Seventeen reports of armed robbery from dwelling houses and shops and one of armed highway robbery were received during the month of October according to the monthly report of the Commissioner of Police. Of thirty three men arrested in connection with these and armed robberies committed prior to October 1, eleven were sentenced to imprisonment, one was expelled the Settlement and the charge against four was dismissed, while the remaining seventeen were under remand at the end of the month. Five men apprehended and charged with being in possession of firearms and with attempted armed robbery, were also sentenced to imprisonment. One man arrested for an armed robbery committed in the French Concession was handed over to the French Police. Six men, mentioned in the report for September as being under remand charged with armed robbery, have been sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment.

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News Brevities

Mr. Hsu Un-Yuen, formerly Governor Bank of China, first vice-president of Chinese American Bank of Commerce arrived in Shanghai last night, in a private car attached to the Express train from Nanking. A big group of his friends were on the platform to meet him.

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Dr. J. W. Kew of Hongkong shot a python ten and a half feet long while on a shooting trip to Shek-O last week, according to the China Mail. Its skin will be stuffed and given to the Museum.

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In an effort to have all the Chinese in Hongkong vaccinated the Fruit and Vegetable Guild will have all its members vaccinated free. It is expected that other Guilds will follow suit in the near future.

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Lieutenant-Commander E. K. Lang, who has served as aide to Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps, has arrived in Shanghai for a few days visit en route back to the United States for duty.

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On last Wednesday night Revenue Officers intercepted a cargo of morphine brought to Hongkong by a German steamer. Six cases of what purported to be chemicals were opened, and discovered to contain morphine, estimated in value at over a hundred thousand dollars. The morphine in question is said to have been brought from Germany.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carter Harrison of Chicago are expected to arrive in Shanghai from Peking tonight. The former Mayor of Chicago and his wife are sailing on the s.s. Porthos tomorrow for Saigon on a pleasure trip.

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Mr. Edward Smith of the Japan Advertiser, who has been in Peking since the earthquake, arrived on the Express from the North last night. He is returning to Japan tomorrow.

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Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China will address the weekly meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club this afternoon at 12.30 o'clock at the Astor House.

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Mr. P. Henry Teng, president of Sam Lim Institute, Shanghai, celebrated the birth of a son the other night. Both foreign and Chinese guests were present for the celebration and were entertained with a program of magic by the magic department of the Institute, and a Chinese Dinner.

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During the month of October proceedings were taken in the special traffic branch of the Mixed Court in 297 of 700 reports made against the owners or drivers of motor vehicles. These involved 28 foreigners and 269 Chinese.

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The Council has authorised the purchase from Messrs. Cooper Allen and Co. of Cawnpore of seventy-five complete sets of Burma Police saddlery for the newly formed Mounted Troop of the S.V.C., it is announced in the municipal Gazette. The estimated cost is Tls. 2,500, provision for which will be made in the budget for 1924.

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Mr. Junius B. Wood, Far Eastern correspondent of the Chicago formerly of the American School, Mr. T. Herlihy of the Grand Hotel in Tsingtao, and Mrs. John Möller and son are sailing on the Shinyo Maru tomorrow.

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Mr. George Woodhead, editor of the Peking and Tientsin Times, who has just returned from leave in England, continued on to Tientsin yesterday.

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The Ford hire service has opened a sub-station at No. 19 Jinkee Road, almost opposite the end of Yuen Ming Yuen Road. This new station in the middle of the business district will enable them to give their customers prompt service on downtown calls. Their main office is connected by a direct line telephone to the new Jinkee Road station so that if anyone wanting a car downtown calls West 189, the call is immediately transfered over the direct line without loss of time in central connections. Cars may also be ordered or taken directly from Jinkee Road. This should be a great convenience to shoppers, especially during the Christmas hopping. The Ford Hire Service Co., have just put into service a large fleet of new closed cars for the cold weather.

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Mr. E. F. Mackay has accepted the Council's invitation to fill the vacancy in that body caused by the resignation of Mr. H. G. Simms on his departure from Shanghai, according to announcement in today's Municipal Gazette. Mr. Fessenden, the chairman, on behalf of himself and colleagues at the meeting November 7 extended a cordial welcome to Mr. Mackay upon his resuming his seat.

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Mr. P. Petithuguenin, manager in Asia for the Russo-Asiatic Bank, in Peking, is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow en route to Paris.

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Mrs. Walter Whiffen, wife of the Associated Press correspondent in Peking, has arrived in Shanghai on her way to the United States for a year's visit.

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Mr. F. J. Deane, Peking manager for Andersen, Meyer and Company, will arrive in Shanghai tomorrow from the North en route to the United States on leave.

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The Literary department of the American Woman's Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock when Mrs. Bakeman will read a paper on "Southern Sung and Genghis Khan."

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The China Press acknowledges the receipt from Messrs. Caldbeck, Macgregor and Company, local agents for Johnny Walker, of a handsome leather bound volume entitled "Around The World." The volume contains numerous splendid pictures and descriptions of the various countries in which the famous Scotch is distributed.

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Members of the Catholic Club are reminded of the Bridge Drive which takes place this evening at 9:15 p.m. sharp. Friends may be invited.

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Orders for electrical equipment amounting to about $1,500,000.00 have been received by the International General Electric Company through affiliated organisations in Japan. Among these orders was that of the Municipality of Kyoto for turbines amounting to $250,000.00.

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Announcement is made that Captain F. L. Laloe, late of the Admiralty Salvage, Ocean Salvage Company, and Modern Transport Company, has joined the marine surveying firm of Eisler, Reeves and Murphy.

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A moving picture show in aid of the Russian Relief Fund will be held on Saturday at 5 p.m. at St. Joseph's Institute by the ladies of St. Monica's Society. Tickets may be obtained at the door for $1.

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Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court is sailing for Hankow tomorrow to hold a short civil session of the court. He will be gone about ten days.

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The offices of the American Express Company will be closed this morning in memory of the late president of the company, Mr. George C. Taylor, whose funeral is being held in New York today. The offices will open at 2 p.m.

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Mr. M. F. O. Cudlip of the Robert Dollar Company sailed on the President Madison yesterday for Kobe on a short business trip.

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Courses For Foreign Students To Start November 26

Evening classes for foreign students will be opened in the Public School for Boys, 200 North Szechuen Road Extension, commencing November 26, according to announcement in today's Municipal Gazette. Those wishing to attend should apply to the school.

Following is the list of subjects and the class schedule:

English.—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 p.m. Fee $5.00 per mensem.

Latin.—Monday and Friday at 4-5 p.m. Fee $8.00 per mensem.

Book-keeping. — Tuesday and Thursday at 6-7 p.m. A course of 10 lessons in the Elements of Book-keeping. Fee: $10.00 for the course.

Elementary Practical Chemistry.—Fee $8.00 per mensem.

Mathematics.—Classes for the Hongkong Matriculation and the Cambridge Junior and Senior Locals will be formed, if required.

Magnetism and Electricity.—A course will be given if the demand for it is sufficient.

Foreign Trade Of France Increases

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—French imports for the first ten months of 1923 amounted to 25,620,674,000 francs and 44,781,390 tons, an increase over the corresponding period in 1922 of 7,051,969,000 francs and 2,996,350 tons. Exports totalled 24,396,258,000 francs and 19,817,163 tons, an increase of 6,009,997,666 francs and 1,604,397 tons.

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France Will Send Books To Japan

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Academy of Medicine has requested members to send books to replenish the Tokio University Library.

Millerand Visits Canadian Exhibit

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 20.—President Millerand today visited the Canadian Exhibition at the Tuileries.

Australian Ship Will Cruise With Britain's Squadron

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Mr. Bruce, the Commonwealth Prime Minister, has announced that the Australian cruiser Adelaide will join the British special service squadron in Australian waters in April. She will take part in the cruise across the Pacific to Vancouver and thence to England.

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WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP ON TOMORROW

Mrs. Burton And Mrs. Enticknap To Play 36 Holes

The final of the Shanghai Ladies' Golf club championship will be played at Kiangwan tomorrow, starting at 9:45 o'clock. The play will be over 36 holes. The finalists this year are Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Enticknap.

In the qualifying round last week the best eight cards were turned in by the following:

Mrs. Burton, Mrs. Lanning, Mrs. Stodart, Mrs. Enticknap, Mrs. Hatherly, Mrs. Ryde, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Sleap.

In the second round the play was steady throughout. In the semifinals Mrs. Enticknap met Mrs. Hatherly, and had a very even game. It was ding dong up to the 14th, at which hole they were all square. Mrs. Enticknap won the 15th, and 16th, while the 17th, was halved, thus Mrs. Enticknap, won by 2 up and 1 to play.

The other semifinalists, Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Stodart, in their match played off yesterday resulted in a win for Mrs. Burton by 5 and 4.

Mrs. Stodart did not play to her usual form, no doubt playing against an opponant of Mrs. Burton's ability made her somewhat nervous. Notwithstanding this there was not much in the match until after the 11th, at which hole Mrs. Burton was 2 up. Going to the 12th, Mrs. Stodart duffed her drive and did not recover, and in consequence of her play at this hole a demoralising influence appeared to set in. Mrs. Burton winning the 12th, 13th, and 14th which gave her the match.

Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Enticknap thus became the finalists.

SOUTHEASTERN BEATS SOOCHOW IN FAST GAME

Five Thousand Spectators At Nanking Watch Contest

Nanking, Nov. 18.—The Southeastern University football men opened their season in fine style this afternoon on the home ground, defeating the strong Soochow eleven in two extra periods of play. (Soochow was the winner in Saturdays game with Nanking University in a 3-2 score). The score was a tie at the end of the ninety minute period but no score was made on either side when at the end of the first extra ten minute period and then at the opening in the first five minutes of the second extra ten minute period Southeastern scored on a penalty on Soochow's "pushing" close for the final score.

The vistors showed some flashes of brilliant play but were kept on the defense during the greater part of the game. The Red and White goal was threatened several times but the alertness of Tao at goal and Yiu at full foiled all but one attempt. The Red and White drove the ball time after time at the opposing goal and it was only the brilliant and shifty work of Soochow's full backs that saved a big score.

A record crowd of more than five thousand football enthusiasts from the city attended the game. Mr. N. K. Ip of Nanking University refereed with great satisfaction and both teams played a clean and fair game to the end.

Two Basketball Games On Tonight

Two games are scheduled for this evening in the Chinese Basketball League. The All-Whites will go to St. John's University and play its team in the gymnasium there at eight o'clock, while at the same hour, the Fuh Tan five will meet the Amateurs at the Chinese Y. M. C. A. Dr. Gray will officiate the former game, and Mr. Baldwin will referee the latter one.

Sets New Record For Motorcycling

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 20.—A German motorcyclist has established a new world's distance record without changing his machine by traveling 1511 kilometers at an average speed of sixty-three kilometers an hour. The previous record was 1247 kilometers and was made by an Englishman in 1909.

BROWN DEFEATS HARVARD, YALE DOWNS TIGER

Football Results Furnish Surprises; Big Games Saturday

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Nov. 17 (delayed).—Results of today's football games gave no marked surprises in the East or West. Yale's defeat of Princeton was predicted by practically all sport writers and Harvard's defeat by Brown, while not generally predicted was not surprising considering Harvard's run of poor luck earlier in the season. The odds were on Michigan in her game with Wisconsin while Minnesota was the favorite over Iowa and Chicago over Ohio State.

But two important games remain to be played in the East. Harvard and Yale will clash at Cambridge next Saturday and the Army and Navy play at New York.

In the West there will be three final contests of wide interest, Wisconsin and Chicago at Chicago, Minnesota and Michigan at Ann Arbor, and California and Standford at Berkeley.

No really big games are scheduled for Thanksgiving.

Today's important scores follow:

Yale 27, Princeton 0, at New Haven.

Harvard 7, Brown 20, at Cambridge.

Army 20, Bethany 0, at West Point.

Illinois 27, Mississippi 6 at Urbana.

Chicago 17, Ohio State 3, at Chicago.

Michigan 6, Wisconsin 3, at Madison.

Minnesota 20, Iowa 7, at Minneapolis.

Jackaroo Wins Hankow Champions

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hankow, Nov. 21.—The following is the result of the Champion Sweepstakes run here today:

Jackaroo	1
Juniper	2
The Bat	3

Sweepstake Numbers:

Jackaroo	5976
Juniper	4191
The Bat	5318

Football Referee Living Model Of Mud

A special feature of the Southern Football "Regatta," in London, which attracted more than 100,000 spectators, was a comic football game, played knee-deep in the mud. The referee, when he emerged from the game, looked more like a sculptured model in clay than an official just off the gridiron.

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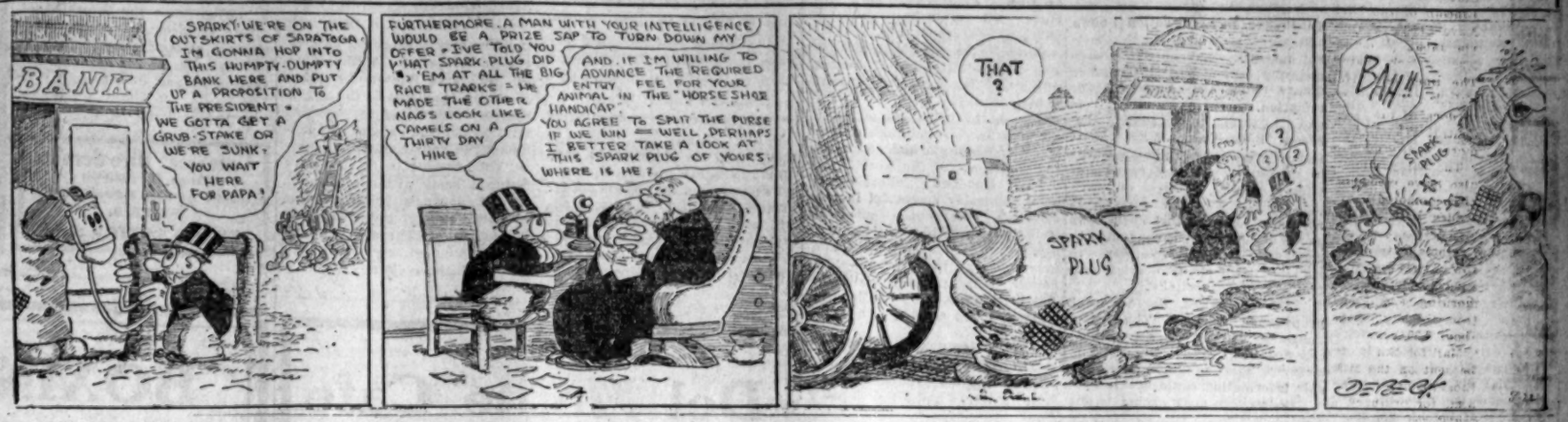
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THAT ?
SPARK PLUG
BAH!!
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His Team Defeated

CAPTAIN Hubbard, of Harvard, was unable to stop the rush of the Brown backs in the annual Harvard-Brown struggle this year, the Crimson losing to the Baptists by a one sided score. Captain Hubbard and his men may avenge themselves next Saturday, when Harvard meets Yale in the annual classic.

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Mr. Parkes has a fine program for Saturday next. He not only has a splendid array of his old school boy talent battling against the best that the H. M. S. Hawkins can provide, but he has managed to book a couple of middle weights that can mix things well enough to please the most exacting fans.

One of these heavies is Private Betts of the Hawkins and his opponent is one of the best of our local One-Hundred-and-fifti-ers. He will keep his name quiet for the nonce but he will battle for the honor of it on Saturday.

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BATTLING SIKI IS DEFEATED BY NEGRO BATTLER

Spectacular Contest In New York Goes Fifteen Rounds

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 20.—In a fifteen rounds heavyweight contest here tonight Kid Norfolk, an American negro, defeated the Senegalese, Battling Siki, on points after a slashing spectacular battle. Although obviously not in his best condition, Siki fought gamely and aggressively. Norfolk, however, assimilated his opponent's savage attacks meanwhile keeping up a withering onslaught that frequently had Siki distressed and bleeding profusely in the mouth, eyes and nose.

British 'Heavies' To Fight For Title

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 20.—Owing to Joe Beckett's retirement from the ring, tomorrow's fight at the Albert Hall between Frank Goddard and Jack Bloomfield will be for the British Heavyweight Championship.

Ernie Rice will meet Harry Mason, the holder, for the Lightweight Championship of Europe and Britain.

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Austria Out Of Olympic Because Funds Lacking

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Chinese Journalists Here Honor Sir Roderick Jones

In honor of Sir Roderick Jones, chairman and managing director of Reuters, Ltd., nine Chinese newspapers, the Shanghai Journalists' Club and the Kuo Wen News Agency gave a dinner last night at the Yih Ping Shang Hotel. Members of the staff of Reuters, Shanghai, were also guests. The Chinese newspapers were the Shun Pao, the Sin Wan Pao, the Eastern Times, the Shanghai Tribune, the China Times, the Republican Daily News, the National Herald, the Shanghai Journal of Commerce and the Chung Hwa Hsin Pao.

Mr. Jabin Hsu, secretary of the Shanghai Journalists' Club, presided and in welcoming the guest of honor he said, in part:

"I shall not bore you with an elaborate review of the life history of our distinguished guest as, I believe, quite a number of our papers have already published the details of Sir Roderick's successful career. Suffice it to say, our guest's ability as an executive and his genius for news gathering and transmission have won for himself the highest position which the world's most powerful news agency could offer.

"Since this is the first time that Sir Roderick has stepped on Chinese soil, a word about ourselves, especially with reference to our relation with the foreign press and news agencies might not be amiss, even at the risk of 'talking shop.' At the beginning of the century, the Chinese press was woefully ignorant of what was going on outside of our country. But contact with other nations shattered the crust of our provincial journalism. This contact induced mutation and progress in our activities. This contact brought in new ideas, new forces and new influences, which were helping to guide the public opinion of the vast populace.

DURING THE WAR

"Then came the outbreak of the war. We were awakened to the importance of world news. We allowed ourselves to be fed by the opinions of the big brothers across the seas and devoured everything that the foreign press and news agencies chose to feed us with. In our contact with the foreign press and news agencies, we placed unreserved confidence.

At once, the various foreign news services took advantage of us. Shanghai especially became a veritable dumping ground for propagandists. Different national news and views were featured by different agencies, many of which were carefully camouflaged in order to secure adequate Chinese consumption. Errors crept in and, friction resulted between themselves. What little fact or truth we got was presented in different ways by different countries. A confused mass of intelligence reached the editor. It naturally followed that such news as we did get was not conducive to good understanding. We were bewildered by the doubtful origin and the lack of authenticity.

"The war ended, the wave of propaganda subsided. The better instincts of the newspapermen asserted themselves and only the agencies that provided the reliable information could survive.

"The modern news agency is one of the greatest civilising forces that we know of. The moral level of the press is being elevated higher than ever. Beside the work of uplifting and enlighting the mass of the street, our great task is the promotion of international goodwill. The press today is not perfect, as no human institutions are perfect. We cannot in a short period revolutionise the existing conditions and remove all obstacles. But in perfect. We cannot in a short revolutionise the existing conditions and remove all obstacles. But in our strife for permanent peace among mankind and for human progress, the press can be, as it already is, a guiding star, a warning headlight and above all, the conscience of the world!

"Sir Roderick's efforts have been admirably successful in this direction. We hope that this pleasure trip of his will enable him to further his great mission in spreading the civilising influence to the common multitude and in bringing the nations of the world into a closer bond of friendship!"

SIR RODERICK REPLIES.

Before Sir Roderick's response, Mr. Francis Zia, who interpreted both Mr. Hsu's and Sir Roderick's speeches, gave a description of the special features of the nine Chinese newspapers, which were hosts last evening.

After thanking the toastmaster for his flattering words and the audience for the graceful way in which the toast was responded to, the guest of honor pointed out the wonderful opportunity that was awaiting the Chinese journalist as well as the great responsibility that would rest upon him when the teeming millions should learn to read, as they were sure to in the not distant future.

"At present, only a fraction of the vast population is able to read," said Sir Roderick in part. "But the march for education has set its pace and the time is not far distant when the great majority will be able to take advantage of the newspapers. Imagine the possibility of the press then and the responsibility of you gentlemen who are so closely connected with it.

"One of the most important elements of journalism is the news element as distinct from the expression of editorial opinions. The collection and distribution of news can only be carried out by a vast organisation, which has its ramifications in each country. Apart from the countries where Reuters agencies exist there is in each country a supreme, or principal news agency. Each is linked up with Reuters by treaty. It is the resources of the organisation which bring to you such services as will enlighten public thought in your country.

"We are able to do this on a financial basis within easy reach of all journals, because of the enormous support given us by all the countries. The cost of maintenance is indeed very heavy. Take the cablegram item alone; it amounts to $5,000,000 in your currency per annum.

"Your toastmaster has referred to the spreading of news of doubtful origin in China during the war. Our endeavor has been ever since our establishment, to give news to the public in an objective, judicial and dispassionate way; and to leave the matter of editorial opinion to gentlemen like yourselves and to the public.

"China is on the threshold of great changes: I don't mean changes of tempestuous manner, but changes in the sense of advancement and development. If our service could be of assistance to this immense country in that advancement and development, it would be a matter of great gratification to us. Your policy should be, as I do not doubt it already is, to assimilate the best that we could offer. There is a western civilisation, but your mission is to pick out the best from your own as well as the Western civilisation and produce something better than both."

A vote of thanks to the guest of honor proposed by the toastmaster concluded the program.

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CONSTABULARY BATTLES WITH MORO GROUPS

Wood Blames Filipinos For Present Troubles In Mindanao

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Nov. 20.—Constabulary under Major Guy O. Fort clashed with Moros on Mount Butig, Mindanao, today. Three constabularymen were killed. The Moro casualties are not stated.

It is believed that the Datu Santiago's two hundred followers, including women and children, have been scattered.

(By Service China Press)

Manila, Nov. 21—In a statement issued today regarding conditions in Mindanao, Governor-General Leonard Wood laid the trouble between the Moros and the Philippines government to the injustice and lack of tack of Filipino officials in the Moro districts.

"Petty Filipino officials in Mindanao have been guilty of a great lack of tact and diplomacy in handling the Moros," the governor-general said. "Combined with this is the ancient hatred of the Moro or Mohammedan for the Christian Filipino, and the unrest which is now prevalent throughout the Mohammedan world.

"There have been numerous cases of petty graft in the matter of taxes, licenses and fees, in which the Moros have been made the victims.

"The Moros want to participate more in local government, especially if the government is to remain in the hands of Filipinos. Only a few Moros, however, are equipped with an education sufficient to handle governmental affairs. I impressed upon the Moro leaders the necessity for co-operation in the matter of schools in order that the Moros may be taught to prepare themselves for taking over active charge of their local governments."

BY UNITED PRESS

New York, Nov. 17.—The New York Tribune in an editorial today scouted the idea expressed by a number of newspapers and politicians that events in the Philippines indicate that the time has arrived for the United States to renounce sovereignty in the Islands.

After pointing out that the advancement of the natives is not such as to enable them to maintain the sovereignty if it were given to them, the paper declares that the history of the United States fails to disclose a single instance in which the country has retreated from any territory to which it has once acquired title.

The Tribune believes that sovereignty in the hands of the natives would be disastrous and declares without reservations that the United States must maintain her sovereignty.

IN THE MILLIARDS

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 20.—The pound sterling is quoted today at thirty-two and a half milliards of German paper marks.

The Ex-Crown Prince

Ex-Crown Prince of Germany

The former German Crown Prince Friederich Wilhelm who has just created a stir by returning to Germany.

Two Billion Dollars Profit On Mark's Fall

New York, Nov. 5.—The New York Tribune today declares American investors lost between a half a billion and 750 million dollars through the collapse of the German mark. British investors lost a half a billion and other countries a like amount.

The paper declares Germany has not only repudiated her national debt, but has gained fully two billion dollars through the debasement of the mark.

Judge Lobingier To Speak Today At Rotary Club

Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China will be the speaker at the tiffin given today by the Rotary Club in the Astor House grill room. Judge Lobingier will speak on "An International Court of Justice". The meeting will be open and members may bring guests. Mr. W. J. Hawkins, the president, will preside.

Armed Robber Is Given Ten Years

Convicted of participating in an armed robbery in Alabaster Road last January, when between $4,000 and $5,000 in money and jewelry was stolen, a Chinese was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday. It was also shown that the accused took part in an attempted armed robbery on Mohawk Road. The police allege that he was the "master mind" of the gang, two other members of which were sentenced last week, one to five year's imprisonment and one to two years.

Captain Of Rum Ship Sentenced

(Reuter's Service)

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 20.—The master of the British schooner Pesaquid, which was seized on July 31 off North Carolina with a cargo of liquor, was sentenced today to six months' imprisonment and fined $500.

British Sailors Assessed Pay For Shore Party

Two able seamen from the s.s. Sarpedon—James Charleston and E. Beddows—were charged with having been drunk and unable to perform their duties before Magistrate G. W. King in the British Police Court yesterday. Charleston was fined 6 days pay and Beddows two days pay for leaving the vessel without permission and getting so drunk they were incapaciated. Magistrate King was lenient with the men, he said, because the crew was short and he had no desire to put them in jail.

Choice Tobacco Is Destined For China

Kingston, N. C., Nov.17.—More than one tenth of the state's bumper crop of golden leaf Carolina tobacco this year has been purchased by firms engaged in the manufacture of cigarettes for Chinese consumers. Results of the auctions show that more than two million pounds were purchased by these firms.

Municipal Staff Changes

The following changes in the Municipal staff are reported in the Municipal Gazette, as taken from the order books for the week ended November 17:

Public Health Department.—Long leave is granted to Mr. F. G. C. Walker, Analyst and Pharmacist, from April 1, 1924.

Mr. M. F. Hills, Mental Ward Attendant, is invalided with effect from November 27, 1923.

Public Works Department.—Mr. H. F. Lewis is appointed Assistant Land Surveyor under agreement from November 6, 1923.

Mr. C. N. Joyner, Clerk-of Works, is permitted to terminate his service on November 30, 1923.

Electricity Department.—The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death, as the result of a turbine bursting at the River-side Power Station on November 15, of Messrs. J. E. Wilson, Switchgear Superintendent, and Mr. C. W. Donaldson, representative of Messrs. C. A. Parsons Co., Ltd., of Newcastle-on-Tyne.

The services of Mr. A. C. Perry, Moodie, Charge Engineer; also of T. Apprentice, terminated on September 30, 1923.

Finance Department.—Mr. W. D. Neil is appointed Junior Assistant on three months' probation from November 12, 1923.

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Bankers' Syndicate To Advance Big Sum To Stresemann, Newspaper Says

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Nov. 20.—According to the Boersencourier, negotiation are progressing between a well-known Berlin bank and a British, American and Dutch group of bankers concerning a loan of 1,400,000,000 gold marks to Germany provided the internal political situation in Germany remains unchanged. The offer is made only to the Stresemann Government, which will guarantee the credit.

American And Britisher Pay For Celebration

A. Pepper, American, and J. L. Woodcock, Britisher, were fined $5 each in their respective courts yesterday when they were found guilty of having been intoxicated on Haining Road and generally creating a disturbance.

Pepper appeared before Commissionar Lurton, defended by Mr. S. A. Moss. He was fined $5 after a technical charge of assault had been withdrawn. Woodcock appeared before Magistrate King and was assessed $5 with the alternative of 7 days in jail.

Rockwell At Helm In McAdoo Campaign

(Exclusive China Press)

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Mr. David Rockwell, who organised and managed the campaign for Governor James M. Cox in his fight for the presidency in the last presidential election, will manage the campaign for William Gibbs McAdoo, according to announcement just made.

Mr. McAdoo, while allowing his friends to push his campaign for the Democratic nomination, will take no active interest in the campaign at the present time although he is expected to make a swing around the circuit as soon as the fight gets a little warmer.

Big Sale In First U.S. Rice Futures Market

New Orleans, Nov. 5.—The first rice future market in the United States opened here today on the Louisiana rice and sugar exchange with many dealers participating. More than one-half million pounds of clean rice was sold during the first half-hour.

He's In Training For A Job Here!

Vancouver,—Charles "Dad" Quick, maker of racing saddles, celebrated his 103d birthday today. Ordinarily he works only 11 hours a day. Today he put in 13.

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8 Foreigners And 137 Chinese Died Last Week

Eight foreigners out of a foreign population of 20,900 and 137 Chinese out of a population of 820,000 died of all causes in the International Settlement last week, according to the weekly report of Comm'ssioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis. Communicable disease reported during the same period included one foreigner and one Chinese with smallpox, two Chinese with typhoid fever, one foreigner with diptheria, one foreigner with scarlet fever, two foreigners and 12 Chinese with tuberculosis and two Chinese with dysentery.

Reds Start New Battle On Clergy

Moscow, Nov. 20.—Strong measures are being taken by the Soviet government against members of the clergy alleged to be engaged in anti-government propaganda, according to reports appearing in the Moscow newspapers.

Funds Are Voted For Railway Guards

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 21.—It is reported that the Cabinet yesterday decided that two brigades should be organised for railway protection purposes and also voted $10,000 for monthly expenses.

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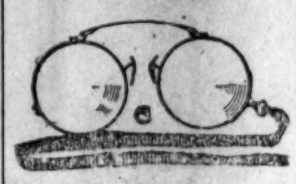
Constitutionalist Position Is Strengthened By Tan's Arrival

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 19.—Dr. Sun Yat-sen's forces are still holding Canton, having been reinforced greatly by the return of General Tan Yen-kai's forces from Hunan.

Fighting has occurred to the east within 16 miles of the city. Canton is quiet. It is reported that the Constitutionalist troops have been able to hold up General Chen Chiung-ming's advances via Chaibi, Shiktan and Shekpai.



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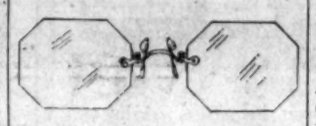

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OFFICIALS TRYING TO FORCE OPIUM CROPS IN FOKIEN

Representatives Pass Word To Farmers, Threatening Fines For Delinquency

(China Press Correspondence)

Hinghwa, Fukien, Nov. 10.—Apparently the provincial authorities of Fukien have determined to force the planting of poppy in order to secure revenue for the payment of the large number of troops now being maintained in the province. Two representatives claiming to be sent down by General Wang, Director of Military Affair for Fukien, are now working in conjunction with the Putien Magistrate and his yamen force in reaching the farmers throughout the area by word of mouth with the demands that each village must plant a specified number of mow in poppy and pay a fixed assessment upon each mow. Evidently plans have been carefully laid for proclamations have been posted from the Foochow authorities exhorting the people not to plant, while at the same time government representatives are telling each locality that unless they plant they will be fined very heavily.

When representatives of the Anti-Opium Reform Bureau interviewed the Putien magistrate and remonstrated for the present move he stoutly maintained that it was not a move upon his own part but that he was under compulsion from the Director of Military Affairs for Fukien. Several times in the past the Hinghwa territory has been planted in poppy, but heretofore it has been done either under the protection of the brigands or of Southern forces. Never has the country witnessed so bold a step as that of the representatives of the Peking Government promoting the illegal traffic in opium.

The countryside is in quite a state of ferment. Many of them realise that it will not be a paying proposition. So much opium has been brought in from adjacent counties that the price has fallen to less that one dollar Mexican per ounce. A more extensive planting would result in a further reduction in the price next year. The tax and cost of production coupled with the risks incurred of being fined for planting and of having the opium seized by officials leave little attraction for the planters. In many quarters there is active opposition.

West of the Sienyu region in Yungchun and Tehwa, where the Southern forces are in command, the state of affairs have become chronic. Soldiers of the Government, so the reports of travellers recently from there say, frequently make raids upon the country sections capturing children and sending them off to other sections to be sold.

Mexican Woman Hunts In Airplane

Mme. Madge Jauregui, of Tampico, Mexico, known as the best woman shot in the Southern Republic, uses modern methods in her search for big game. Her chief hunting ground are in the Tamaulipas Mountains, which are to be reached only by long burrorides. However, by using an airplane she can reach the mountains in a few hours from Tampico.

HUNAN TOWN IS HEAVILY TAXED BY CHAO AND TAN

Rival Leaders Collect Big Toll In Passing Through City

(Independent News Service)

Hengchow, Hunan, Nov. 8—Last night Chao Heng-ti's troops entered this city under Tang Seng-dzi, 4th Divisional Commander. They are leaving tomorrow for Giyang and Yuinchow in pursuit of Tan Yen-kai.

General Tan's troops looted more than twenty shops before Chao's soldiers arrived. Hengshan and other towns below here escaped looing.

Chao Heng-ti's men are advancing along six different roads in pursuit of Tan, the latter is not very well equipped with arms, and many of his men are bandits armed only with spears. It is hoped that Tan will be driven out for good, for if this fighting continues Hengchow will suffer greatly.

Of course, there has been no business here for a long time since connection with down river has been cut off. The merchants have been taxed heavily. Over $300,000, has been paid to the armies of the two generals Tan and Chao. Prices have risen, and many commodities are scarce. Mail is very slow, and the post-office is out of stamps. Dollars exchange for 2280 cash.

Shen Hung-yin, the Kwangsi bandit general is near Chen-chow so Tan Yen-kai will no doubt retreat to Kwangsi Unless Sun Yat-sen can render assistance, Tan will probably not be able to make much further resistance. On account of the fighting in this neighborhood there are over one hundred soldiers lying wounded in our hospital.

SHANSI STILL PEACEFUL AND PROSPEROUS

Liquor Export Falls Off Because Of Heavy Taxes

Lucheng, Shansi, Nov. 8.—"There will not be peace" was the comment of a Chinese neighbor on hearing the result of the Presidential election. He voiced the opinion of a small group of men of which he was one. The little crowd were interested, but evidently only in an abstract way, the trouble they anticipated would touch other parts of China but would not seriously concern Shansi. They probably neglected the general opinion of the province in this matter to a considerable extent. Many of our people would, no doubt, prefer someone else for a president, and may feel bound to disapprove of the bribery practiced at the election of the one who now rules, but they do not make an open show of such feelings. Rumors, indeed, of agitation among the students at various places have been plying about, but there seems to be little truth in them. Good harvests during two years and reasonable business prosperity resulting in a state of satisfaction with their own lot, have made our people somewhat indifferent as to what may happen outside their own borders. Their impression that there may be some commotion over the president's election, in other parts of China is more or less interesting and is given for what it is worth.

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Speaking of business prosperity, there is one industry, once a paying one in this region, which does not share in it at present, the distilling industry is meant. Once tax free it is now handicapped with duties. A monthly tax of from $2 to $6, according to the extent of the concern, is imposed on all distilleries and the whisky has to pay duty on passing the borders of the Hsien district in which it is made at the rate of sixteen cash per catty and an additional tax each time it passes a likin barrier. The local export of liquor to the Eastern provinces has fallen off considerably because of this taxation and manufacturers cannot boast of their profits. It is an odd thing that in this region where so much whisky is made there is no open drunkenness, the absence of this vice generally in China is remarkable seeing that fiery spirit is obtainable everywhere. The "stuff" seems to do comparatively little harm but no good, no one will suffer if the business fails.

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Soviet Trusts In Financial Crisis

(French Wireless through Reuter)

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- Red Caviar
- Norwegian Anchovies, Spiced
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- Italian Salami
- "Pin Money" Pickles, sweet & sour
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- Spanish Queen Olives
- Spanish Stuffed Olives
- Crisp American Dill Pickles
- Crisp Russian Dill Pickles
- FRESH RUSSIAN CRANBERRIES
- American Cranberry Sauce (in tins)
- California Mammoth Asparagus
- California Artichokes
- California Celery en branche
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- French Truffles
- French Champignons
- French & Russian Dry Mushrooms
- Brussels Sprouts
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- Roquefort Cheese
- Genuine Swiss Cheese
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- Glace cherries and assorted glace fruit
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- French Dessert Prunes
- Russian Stuffed Candies & Nougats
- Pistachio Nuts
- Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil nuts
- Filberts and Pine nuts
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Chartered Bank of India Australia and China

Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853

Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,800,000
Reserve Liabilities £3,000,000

Head Office.
38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.
Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund

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Cawnpore	Manila	Singapore
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Hankow	Zamboanga	Tientsin
		Yokohama

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travellers' Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking business undertaken.

C. J. SCOTT,
Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger S. A.

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique.)

Frs.
Capital (subscribed) ..100,000,000
Capital (paid up) 75,000,000
Reserves 21,852,280

Head office: Brussels
Branches and Agencies at:
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ALLGEMEINER BOEHMISCHER BANK-VEREIN PRAGUE, with Branches in CZECHO-SLOVAKIA
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Correspondents in all parts of the world.
Every description of banking business transacted.

A. DONNAY,
Manager.

行銀業實江浙
The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital $2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .....$ 420,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & fully paid-up..$20,000,000

Reserve Fund:—
Sterling .....£ 4,500,000
Silver $24,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
Court of Directors:
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Bombay	Johore	Saigon
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Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
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Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Haiphong	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Hamburg	New York	V'divostock
Hankow	Yokohama	

London Bankers:
The Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12 The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Kup. the Chinese Government ..... Tls.	3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Bordreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie and Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Chanchun	Harbin	Shanghai
Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
Hailar	Kashgar	Yokohama
Hankow	Newchwang	Urumtchi

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezierski.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1911 and October 31st, 1915).
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President: Mr. Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
Shen Chu Hsu Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.
S. Y. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOUSE, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000.0.0
Capital Paid-up £1,086,520.0.0
Reserve Fund H. K. ..$ 800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	S. Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordally invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorized Capital $10,000,000 00
Paid-up Capital ..... $ 7,500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:
SHANGHAI
BRANCHES:

PEKING	SHANGHAI
TSINAN	HARBIN
HANKOW	SHIHKIACHWANG
TIENTSIN	

Correspondents throughout the World including the Interior of China.
SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telegraphic Address:
"Sinambank" Shanghai
Codes Used:
Bentley's Complete Phrase
Western Union Code
Whitelaw's 401 Millions Code
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Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital .. 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS
U.S. $10,000,000.00
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
55 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Manila
Batavia	Panama
Bombay	Peking
Calcutta	Rangoon
Canton	San Francisco
Cebu	Santo Domingo
Colon	Shanghai
Dairen	Singapore
Hankow	Soerabaya
Harbin	Tientsin
Hongkong	Tokio
Kobe	Yokohama
Madrid	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $50,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund $ 6,033,845.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
23 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 50,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current taal accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

E. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund $200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ....C. 1929 Manager's Office.
C. 6463)
C. 6463) General Office.
C. 6470)
C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
ANTUNG	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
CANTON	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
CHANGCHUN	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up $2,500,000.00
Reserve ... ... $ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up $2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund $850,823.50
Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka. Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
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SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

Meteorological Report

November 22, 1923.

Sun rises today at	6.34
Sun sets today at	16.59

SICAWEI

	Nov. 20. 16 h.	21 h.	Nov. 21. 4 h.	9 h.
Barometer (inches	30.21	30.26	30.17	30.20
(variation for 24 hours	+0.06	−0.02	−0.01	−0.12
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	−0.07	−0.06	−0.04	−0.06
Wind—Direction	WNW	WNW	WNW	SSW
Wind—Miles per hour	4.3	5.0	12.4	9.9
Temperature (Fahr.)	50°4	38°9	39°8	54°3
Humidity %	36	32	95	76
Nebulosity (0-10)	0	0	0	0
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT
November 20.

		Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous 5 yrs.) average (50 same period.
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 32°1) (Max. 56°7)	30.27	+0.13	30.28
30.26	−0.02 30.22	44°9	−15°6	50°8
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)		39.38	0.00	43.84

行銀業商東大
The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $ 7,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K. $ 500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

Sh. s.
Subscribed Capital ... 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance, On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

行銀業商方東
Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital .. $5,000,000
Paid up Capital $2,500,000
Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. C. WAI,
Manager.

36 Kiangse Road.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai,
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito I'. liano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga,
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Steamers Departed

November 21

Kianghsin for Hankow.
Changon for Hankow.
Ngankin for Hankow.
Pingwo for Hankow.
Taohi Maru for Hankow.
Amagisan Maru for Wuhu.
President Madison for Seattle.
Taisang for Taingtao.
Shinfoo for Chinwangtao.
Nyanza for London.
Kohoku Maru for Formosa.
Sungshan Maru for Canton, etc.
Fengtien for W. C. Tientsin.
Anamba for Singapore.
Sianglee for T. Dairen.
Hanping for Hankow.
Teli for Dairen.
Fukwang for River ports.
Hsin Peking for Ningpo.
Hsin Ningshao for Ningpo.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on November 20, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	18-30
Mutton	"	18-36
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	30-40
Pomfret	"	30-40
Salmon	"	25-30
Samli	"	None
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	None
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.50-$3.00
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	25-30
Hare	each	35-40
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	80-90
Geese	"	$1.00-$1.30
Plover	"	none
Pigeons	"	20-22
Quail	"	18-20
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	18-20
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	"	35-40
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	10-12
Fruits		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	20-25
Bananas	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	16-20
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-30
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	per lb.	12-15
Peaches	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	10-12
Pears	"	16-18
Peeboe	"	none
Plums	"	none
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	18-20
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
French Beans	"	10-12
Cabbages	each	5-7
Celery	per bunch	10-12
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Egg Plant	per lb.	10-12
French Beans	"	10-12
Green Corn	"	none
Peas	"	8-10
Leeks	per bunch	4-5
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.30
Radishes	per punch	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	4-6
Spinach	"	3-4
Tomatoes	"	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.80
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.15
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$11.70
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.35
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 13.75
House Coal	"	15-75

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Passengers Arrived

Per Glen Line m.v. Glenapp from London: Mrs. H. B. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Andrews, Master D. Andrews.
Per M.M. s.s. Porthos from Kobe: Mr. A. Bazin, Mrs. B. L. Winn, Mr. and Mrs. P. U. Dentici and infant, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Dentici, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dentici, Mr. and Mrs. Nishimura; from Yokohama: Messsr. de Torsiac, Delgado, le Commandant Tetu, Mrs. Claudel, Mrs. Labesat.
Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Messrs. M. de Gouzon, M. Phlegrin, J. T. Proctor, F. C. Wilcox, Mrs. L. B. Abbeth, Mrs. B. Comin, Mrs. V. B. Appleton
Per C.N. s.s. Sinklang from Hongkong: Miss J. Hyatt.
Per C.N. s.s. Changsha from Hankow and ports: Mr. and Mrs. Franiz and children, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Long and child, Messrs. H. J. Wakefield, Forbes, Shutte,

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,110
Chartered	£19¼ S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$670 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$234 B.
Yangtsze	H.$26¾
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$136 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$505 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$142½
Indo-China Pref.	H. $38¾ B.
"Shell"	77/6
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 80
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5¼ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 91 S.
New, Eng. Works	Tls. 7 S.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.40 S.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 193
Hongkong Wharf	H.$155½
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 122½
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 13
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 113 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 6 S.
Shanghai Cotton.	Old 76 New 51
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$232 B.
Green Island	$26 Sa.
Langkats	Tls. 31 S.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 95
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6.90 B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B.
Fourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$11 S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7¼
Anhert	Tls. 0.50 S.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.90 S.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.07 S.
Ayer Kuning	Tls. 23
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 110 S.
Batu	Tls. 0.90
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.12½ S.
Chemor United	Tls. 110 S.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1¾
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 S.
Dominion	Tls. 2.35
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12¾ B.
Kajaying	Tls. 12¾ B.
Karan	Tls. 7
Kedah	Tls. 1.30
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.15 S.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16
Padang	Tls. 6½
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.32½
Permata	Tls. 3½ S.
Repah	Tls. 1
Samagagas	Tls. 0.90
Seekees	Tls. 1.30
Semambu	Tls. 1.20 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.17½ S
Shai Klebang	Tls. 0.72½
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 4¾
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.10
Sungala	Tls. 1½
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3.70
Sua Manggis	Tls. 9.15
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.80
Taiping	Tls. 0.77¼
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.70 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1½
Tianghes	Tls. 3.60
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13 B.
Shanghai Trams	Tls176½
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171 B.

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

PARIS-LONDON RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

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Shanghai, November 21, 1923

Mex. Dollar market rate 72.4375

Native Interest	35
Copper Cash	250.500
Shanghai Gold Bar	328.60
Bar Silver	23¼
Bank rate of Discount	**4%**
Paris on London	80.50
New York on London	434¼
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/3
Demand	3/3⅛
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	70½
Demand	70¾

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANK'S SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/3
London Demand	3/3⅛
London 4 m-s.	3/3¼
India T.T.	228½
France T.T.	1330
America T.T.	70¾
Hongkong T.T.	71¼
Japan T.T.	69¼
Batavia T.T.	193½
Straits T.T.	72½
London 4 m-s. Credits	3/5½
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/5¾
London 6 m-s. Credits	3/6
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1410
America 4 m-s. L-c.	74
Docs.	74½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 73=Tls. 136.99
@ exch. 72.7=Mex. $188.43
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 4¼d.=Tls. 5.96
@ exch. 72.7=Mex. $8.20

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR NOVEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.80	@ 3/1⅛	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 69⅞	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1163	Fr. 12.96
Hk. Tls. 1	@—	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 70⅝	Yen 1.58
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 224½	Rupees 2.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.10	Ital Lire 16.82

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CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 71¾
Demand buying on America 73
Demand selling on London 3/3
Demand buying on London 3/4¼

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 575,000 ..... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.00=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.04=1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 98.60=1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 22.75=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 123.40=100 Fr. Francs

Chinese Government Bonds
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	94.60	94.00
5th Year 6%	54.00	54.00
7th Year 6%	46.55	46.60
9th Year 6%	65.70	65.75
6% Consolidated	51.50	51.30
7% Consolidated	54.80	54.80
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
96 Millions 8%	15.50	15.50

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association
Business Done

Shanghai, November 21, 1923
November 20
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.10 March

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Novmber 20
Exploration Tls. 11.75 Dec.
November 21
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.10 March
New Eng. (Pref.) Tls. 5.35
Shanghai Loans Tls. 6.40 Dec.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

November 21, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each down ⅜d. in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63⅞ cents and the London-New York cross rate improved to 433¾.

The only changes in our official quotations here today were a drop in the Yen rate to 68½, in the Gold Dollar rate to 70½ and in the Franc rate to 1310. Our market at the opening was inclined to be firm but eased off somewhat during the day.

At one time business in Sterling was done as 3s. 4d. for near delivery. 3s. 3⅝d. December and 3s. 3⅛d. January. Gold Dollars were done at 72 for November. 71½ December and 71⅛ January.

However, later in the day there were good buyers at these rates and at the close there were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 3¾d. November, 3s. 3⅝d. December and 3s. 2⅞d. January.

The best sellers of Gold Dollars at the close were offering 71¾ November, 71 December and 70¾ January. There were sellers of Yen at the close at 67½ November, 68 December and 68¼ January.

Banks were quoting 3s. 4½d. and 73¼ for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for near delivery.

For January, bills, there were buyers at 3s. 3⅝d. and 72½, while bills for delivery after China New Year could have been placed at 3s. 3d. and 71¾. There were buyers of Franc bills at 1365 for November-December delivery, 1360 January and 1350 for forward.

China sold silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing easy. New York report their market as steady.

In The Limelight

General Smuts' recent role at the Imperial Conference, his suggestion for a reparation's conference, and his verbal duel with Premier Poincare, have made the South African a greater power in British Empire politics than ever before. He is decidedly in the public eye.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Today's Quotations
Shanghai, November 21, 1923
OFFICIAL
Shanghai Explorations Tls. 11.65
Shanghai Docks Tls. 91.00
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November 20
Chemors Tls. 1.07½ Dec.
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.02½ Dec.

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The Y.W.C.A. will open its new quarters at 61 Range Road today from three to six o'clock. A large reception is being planned. Over 2,000 invitations to all friends and contributors have been sent out. The program will be given at four o'clock and at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. H. C. Mei and Miss S. C. Ting, acting general secretary of the National Young Women's Christian Association will speck at four o'clock; Mrs. S. M. Woo, President of the local Y. W. C. A. Board of Directors and Mrs. W. Y. Sung will speak at five o'clock.

The hostesses for the afternoon are:

Dr. Anne W. Fearn, Mrs. J. Whitsted Dovey, Mrs. Hilton Johnston, Mrs. S. K. Tsao, Mrs. T. T. Woo, Mrs. J. C. Black, Mrs. E. M. Hayes, Mrs. N. A. Tang, Mrs. John Y. Li, Mrs. Eveleth.

The Y. W. C. A. purchased their present quarters from the Southern Presbyterian Mission in June. It is an excellent location, being on two direct tram lines. The building has been repaired and repainted, and although it has no large auditorium it will serve nicely until the time comes for the erection of a new building.

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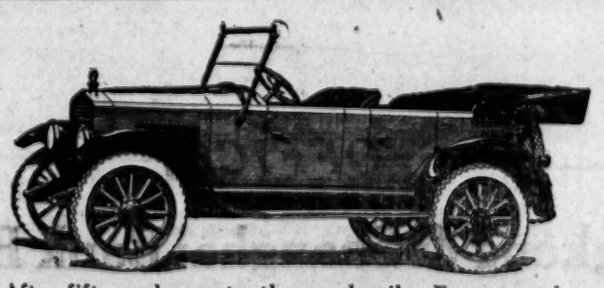

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New York Speculators Predict Cotton Famine Before First Of Year

Crop Reports Are Adverse But Demand For Goods Is Poor Because Of Unsettled Political Situation In Europe

(Reuter's Service)

New York, October 26.—Now that cotton prices have become definitely established at the 30 cent level, with October up to 31.30 on the last trading day for that delivery, the cotton world is asking itself whether the next move will be towards 35 cents, or in the reverse direction, to perhaps 25 cents. Undoubtedly the technical position has been somewhat weakened as a result of recent advances to new high levels for the season.

Adverse crop conditions, including first, heavy rains and floods in the Southwest and latterly a cold wave with frost quite generally throughout the belt, as far south as northern Florida, created a very bullish feeling in the trade which quite offset the poor demand for goods and the continued unsettled and unsatisfactory European political situation. A considerable long interest has been built, and was being added to at the close of the present week, when one of Wall Street's biggest traders was credited with heavy purchases of cotton presumably based on declining crop prospects.

It was considered significant by many that such an important interest should be buying cotton at almost the top levels of the season, and indicative of the feeling speculators have that the world will face a cotton famine before the year is out.

SEE BIG SHORTAGE

The South's leading cotton organisation, the American Cotton Association, declares forcibly that the consuming world "is liable to be faced in the next ten months with the greatest shortage in cotton supplies seen since the sixties." Mills may be forced to curtail and run on short time, and in the opinion of the Association, many mills may even then find themselves forced to shut down, entirely because of exhaustion of supplies before another crop can reach the market.

Another authority brings out that "it goes almost without saying that when it is known that at the best the crop can give a supply of cotton less by 1,000,000 to 1,500,000 bales than the world actually consumed last year and the year before, and when there are so many reasons for anxiety lest the production fall far short of this mark, the balance of the forces of supply and demand must be upon the side of rising and not falling prices until it becomes an assured fact that the necessary accomodation of the supply to the demand has been accomplished through the cessation or curtailment of operations by the less favorably situated spinners in this and other countries."

MUCH HIGHER PRICES

One prominent cotton house says the supply situation brings us face to face with the most serious problem that has ever confronted the cotton trade, and that "much higher prices than those now ruling, are the logical outcome of this gloomy aspect."

Without doubt, and reports from the South verify such view, the high prices have proved attractive to growers and cotton has been sold very freely at these levels. It is declared in private advices from many parts of the belt that mortgages are being paid off, bank deposits increased, with other evidences that the South, while undoubtedly suffering from the effects of boll weevil, has profited by the high prices resulting.

As a sidelight on the Negro problem, the Department of Labor states that fully 478,000 negros left 15 Southern states in the year ending September 1, but says it has been advised by Southern observers that during the winter months large numbers will probably return South.

In the meantime, what of consumption? Fall River has recently done a fair business in goods suitable for surgical use, but reports very little business doing in wide and narrow print cloths. New Bedford reported the quietest trade in extra staple cotton at the present time for this period of the season in a number of years. Mills are taking only the cotton necessary to supply their immediate needs.

SLOW DISTRIBUTION

It seems to be the impression among local handlers of cotton goods that they cannot sell goods on the basis of replacement with 30 cent cotton. They say that percales should be bringing 16 cents for 4-4 64 X 60s whereas agents have no idea that jobbers will pay 14 cents freely at this time. Meanwhile Japanese traders are reported to be offering denim substitute cloth in Australian markets that appears to be meeting the needs there for a low priced fabric suitable for workingmen. It is said they are also making headway in offering substitutes for three-yard sheetings in the Manila markets.

Thus the situation seems to revolve around undoubted crop shortage on the one hand, and a very slow distribution of goods with unsettled European conditions on the other. If curtailment continues or increases, it may offset the crop shrinkage. On the other hand, and sudden increase of demand from consumers with mill stocks depleted as they are would unquestionably result in an advance that could easily carry raw cotton prices higher than at any time previously this season.

That the weevil menace has thoroughly alarmed the South is indicated in the big convention at New Orleans this week, where hundreds of cotton men, including a big delegation from the New York Cotton Exchange, have been discussing ways and means for combatting the evil. It is expected that strong representations will be made to Congress for Government aid in an aggressive campaign against the pest which threatens the South's greatest money crop.

Didn't Leave Him Waiting At The Church

Mrs. C.M. Astley, Allister McCormick & his bride

Alister McCormick, young Chicago millionaire, who was jilted so often by Miss Mary Landon Baker, of Chicago, is shown here, in Paris, with his bride, who was Miss Joan Stevens, of London, and her mother, Mrs. Charles Melton Astley, shortly after their marriage in the Embassy Church in Paris.

Mexican Land Owners Backing Gen. Angel

Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 6.—The land owners and merchants here have formed a national political league to further the candidacy of General Angel for the presidency. It is reported that nine million dollars has been raised as a campaign fund. The principal planks of the league are: elimination of strife from the capital, improvement of labor conditions, the civil service and merchant marine, and a solution of the agrarian problem.

Holt Sees Need Of Foreign Affairs Head

St. Louis, Nov. 8.—Hamilton Holt, noted American journalist and publisher speaking at the City Club today, said the United States needed some one to control foreign affairs, "with the courage of Roosevelt, the humanity of Taft and the vision of Wilson."

McCoy And Anderson Thanked For Services

Washington, Nov. 5.—The State Department today published a letter from Ambassador Hanihara to Secretary Hughes expressing "the heartfelt thanks of the Japanese government and people for the splendid services" rendered by Admiral E. A. Anderson, and Brigadier General Frank R. McCoy in the earthquake disaster.

Report Shows 1923 Corn Crop Increase

Washington, Nov. 8.—The Department of Agriculture in a preliminary estimate of this year's harvest today placed the corn crop of the United States at 3,029,192,000 bushels, as compared with the estimate of 3,021,454,000 bushels of a month ago and 2,890,071,200 bushels for last year.

This year's wheat crop is estimated at 782,737,000 bushels; oats 1,302,453,000 bushels; barley, 199,251,000 bushels; rye 64,774,000 bushels; potatoes 416,723,000 bushels; tobacco 1,436,738,000 pounds; rice 32,787,000 pounds; sugar beets 6,667,000 tons; peanuts 647,589,000 pounds; hops 17,028,000 pounds.

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To receive the Directors' and Auditors' Reports on how the Increase of the Capital, Allotment of the new shares, and Payment of the First Call have been carried out.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 3rd. to the 6th. December, both days inclusive.

Shanghai, 21st November, 1923.

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The Meeting will be strictly confined to:—

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Owners who have any special matter which they wish to bring before the Meeting are requested to refer same in writing to the undersigned before noon on Thursday, 22nd inst.

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By Order of the Stewards,

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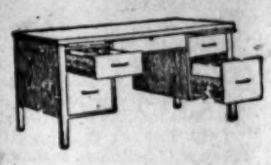

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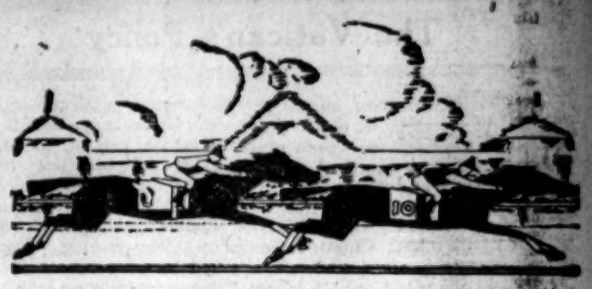

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104th MEETING

24th November, 1923.

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By order,
Y. S. DAY.
Secretary.

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Kiaochow Tsinan Railway Administration

Notice No. 24

In accordance with the instructions issued by the Ministry of Communications, this railway will resume its operation of No. 1 and No. 2 night train services between Tsingtao and Tsinan on and from the 16th of November, 1923. No. 13 and No. 14 mixed trains will simultaneously resume their original schedule running between Tsingtao and Kaomi instead of between Tsingtao and Weihsien as previously arranged.

By Order

5th November, 1923.

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7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By Order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.

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The depression of Siberia will approach North China — Southerly winds in the North.
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DEATH

CHALFANT—On November 15th, 1923, at Tsingtao, China, Mrs. W. P. Chalfant. After cremation interment took place at Tsingchowfu beside the grave of her husband, Rev. W. P. Chalfant, D.D.

The Vatican's Policy

ONE of the most interesting developments in world politics of recent times, one having a most far-reaching effect, is the visit of the King and Queen of Spain to the Vatican, the statement by Signor Mussolini which tends to pave the way for a *rapprochement* between the Papacy and the Italian Government, and the announcement by the former that a concord at with Jugo-Slavia guaranteeing equal rights for Roman Catholics and members of the Greek Church is imminent. Far-reaching, because the resumption of friendly relations between the various temporal heads of the world and the largest religious organisation in Christendom must react for good in the long run, and convey a great deal of satisfaction to those of the Roman Catholic religion who have feared that by the clean cut division between the Church and the State each has lost the benefits the other might give.

It is no part of our purpose to discuss the rights or wrongs of disputes which have led to the severance of various Latin countries from the Church of Rome. Probably there was as much to be said in favor of one as the other and it was quite as likely that the accumulation of political power by the Vatican did it as much harm as the envy of those temporal bodies who jealously regarded the increase in influence of the Papacy.

No matter what were the merits of the several disputes which led the respective governments of France Spain and Italy to reject papal interference in the matters of civil government, there cannot be the slightest doubt that the immediate result of such action was unfortunate for both parties in the extreme. For it placed the populations of these countries in a singular spiritual dilemma. On the one hand they were bound by their natural allegiance to support their own governments, and at on the other that reverential obedience which all Catholics owe to their spiritual leader tended to involve them in decisions between temporal and spiritual duty. Such a state of affairs ought never to exist. There should never have been even a possibility that it could have arisen for though the moralities upon which the State and Church are based are in fac identical, the manner of applying need not be so different as to involve clash of interests.

The modern tendency to divorce the State from the Church has been in evidence even up to recent years, with the secession of the government of France from the Vatican and the disestablishment of the Welsh Church in Britain. And there is no real evidence that the Church of Rome is seeking in any way to regain that influence which she once had in the governments of the world. Rather would it appear that recognising the almost limitless possibilities in the spiritual world, she is in search of means of removing discords between herself and the various states, not for the purpose of ultimately taking a hand in the government itself, but for the purpose of removing those limitations to religious work, which latent or overt hostility to the state must inevitably involve. There is no reason why the two should not recognise the confines of their own peculiar territories and yet combine for the common weal in the many cases that must surely present themselves to them both.

Alongside this present movement, is to be noticed the gradual increase in the desire for a union between the various Churches of the world. Broadminded thinkers are no longer content that various sects, whose beliefs are founded on common ground should occupy water tight compartments in the world. Rather, they think, should the Churches come together for the advancement of the cause they have so much at heart, removing such doctrinal disputes as may be easily disposed of, and waiting for the flux of time to remove such other deepseated schisms as at present seem unbridgeable. When we come to consider the long centuries of bigotry and intolerance which have marked our religious history, it may seem surprising that those in favor of finding something almost akin to a common church, should be so large in numbers, or so uninfluential.

But this is essentially an age of reasonableness. The peoples of the world are rapidly being drawn together in matters temporal and there seems no reason whatever, why in spiritual concerns the unhappy divisions of the past should be perpetuated. As a first step towards the happy consummation which so many desire, the significance of the Vatican's policy towards various states cannot be underestimated. It shows a willingness on the part of the Pope and his advisers to do what they can towards bridging the gulf, and a readiness on the part of statesmen to do their share as well. And we hope that within a comparatively short time the splendid isolation of the Vatican amidst a reverent people will disappear in the light of a better understanding between the Church and the Italian State.

The Trial Of Li Da-Sun

ON Saturday evening, November 10, General Hsu Kuo-liang, chief of the Woosung and Shanghai constabulary was shot and mortally wounded by an assassin who gave the name of Li Da-sun, who claims to come from Anhwei Province and to be a member of the Kuomingtang political party. He was captured shortly after the shooting and after a trial at the Mixed Court was turned over to the Chinese military authorities at the Arsenal. The Military Judicial Section of the Military Governor's Yamen under the chairmanship of Col. Teng is reported to be investigating the case and a public trial is supposed to be held some time this week. The Military Governor of Kiangsu Province, General Chi Shih-yuan, immediately demanded that the prisoner be turned over to him for trial at Nanking. This was refused, and as a result of this and also the struggle of Nanking and Chekiang over the right of appointing a successor to General Hsu, it has served to re-open the tension which has existed for some time between these two provinces.

General Chi Shih-yuan of Kiangsu province is reported to have been conducting an independent investigation of the shooting of General Hsu and according to rumors in circulation is alleged to have discovered that there were four persons involved in the murder and that they received some $40,000 for the deed. Another rumor is to the effect that those responsible for putting up the money also gave their promise that the guilty ones would not be punished for their deed. Li Da-sun who committed the crime stated in his investigation at the Mixed Court that his reason was that General Hsu had persecuted members of the Kuomingtang party, but others familiar with the undercurrrent of local politics in this section state the real reason to have been the contemplated promotion of General Hsu and the fact that he was shortly to be placed in control of a considerable number of troops. This naturally caused jealousy on the part of other interests in this section and so on the assassination following as a matter of course.

Whether there is anything to these rumors is hard to say, but the fact that they are in circulation places a considerable responsibility upon those at the Arsenal who have charge of the trial. An absolutely open and fair trial is the only thing that will serve to put an end to the rumors and at the same time allay the general feeling of uneasiness which has developed as a result of the shooting. A secret trial will serve only to stir up more ill feeling and probably will result in retaliations and possibly further outrages of a similar character.

There isn't much question but that the murder of General Hsu had its real foundation in the tense situation which exists in the relations of Kiangsu and Chekiang provinces and this in turn goes back to the struggle between Chihli and Anfu. Since the murder was committed in the International Settlement of Shanghai it increases the responsibilities of the foreign settlements in the maintenance of order and in this important work all right-minded Chinese in this district should be willing to co-operate.

The Philippine Situation

ALTHOUGH considerable news has been published in China in recent months regarding the political turmoil which exists in the Philippine Islands, there is little understanding here regarding the real background of the struggle now in progress between the native political leaders and the American Governor-General Leonard Wood. Associate Justice George A. Malcolm of the Philippine Supreme Court in a recent address before the American Chamber of Commerce of Manila on the subject, "Explaining the Situation," attributed most of the trouble to defects in the Jones Law which was passed by Congress and serves as the organic or constitutional law of the Islands. "The Constitution of the Philippine Islands" said Justice Malcolm," is made up principally of the various Acts of the Congress of the United States, which have been formally and expressly extended to the Philippines. The 'kingpin' among the organic laws which we call the Philippine Organic Act is the Act of Congress of August 29, 1916, popularly known as the 'Jones Law.'"

In discussing the weakness in the Jones Law, Justice Malcolm stated that the Philippine government is not essentially different from the government of the states of the American Union. The trouble with the Jones Law "is that it attempts to set up a nearly impossible form of government: not foreign to the United States and yet foreign in some respects; not sovereign and yet having some of the attributes of sovereign; not a State and yet patterned after a State; not under the Constitution and yet influenced by the Constitution; the Filipinos not aliens and yet not citizens of the United States. The government is such that the laws of Congress and the orders of the President do not operate on it directly, and is such that the representatives of the Filipino people do not have the right, unrestricted by outside power, to make their own laws."

"A source of danger is that the Jones Law has endeavored to place in the hands of the people of the Philippines a large control of their domestic affairs and at the same time to assure the exercise of the rights of sovereignty by the people of the United States. Where Philippine autonomy begins and ends is not clear and one or the other is liable constantly to trespass on the shadowland between the two."

In closing his address Justice Malcolm advocated a continuance of the co-operation on the part of the Americans and the Filipinos which has been responsible for the advancement made by the Islands since 1900. By co-operation the Filipino people can endeavor to establish a stable government which is the prerequisite for independence. By Co-operation the Filipinos can endeavor to blot out the argument now made against independence relating to the fact that all Filipinos do not desire independence, by a policy which will cement more closely the non-Christian peoples to the Christian peoples and bring all into national accord. By Co-operation, respectful submission of the united desires of the Filipino people to the President and the Congress of the United States, and the assertion of the fact that a stable government has been established, can be made.

As a specific recommendation Justice Malcolm advocated the appointment by congressional authority of a commission of 15, composed of a Chairman, seven Americans and seven Filipinos, to consider all the various phases of the question and to report to Congress and the Philippine Legislature. The tense situation which has arisen through the policy of non-co-operation actively pursued by the Filipino politicians will undoubtedly bring the whole question to the attention of Congress at the coming session and for this reason the suggestion by Justice Malcolm is most interesting and constructive.

Mr. Thomas Hardy's Record

BY ROBERT LYND

I do not think any of the great English writers before Mr. Hardy was producing important work at the age of 83. Tennyson, it is true, was still writing at that age, but his posthumous poems do not reveal the great Tennyson in the way in which Mr. Hardy's recent work reveals the great Hardy.

Mr. Hardy, in his last book, published a poem in praise of great writers who "burnt brightlier towards their setting day;" but his list contained no Englishmen. Most of the great men whom he named were Greeks; and, of these, we do not know whether Homer wrote at an advanced age or not, or, indeed, whether he wrote at all. Sophocles, alone of them, I think, achieved a feat more wonderful than Mr. Hardy's. He published the "Philoctetes" at the age of 87; and wrote the "Oedipus Coloneus" still later.

The great English writers have for the most part exhausted their powers much earlier. Of the novelists, Scott died at 61, Dickens at 58, Thackeray at 52. Nor have the poets on the whole been a long-lived race. Shakespeare died at 52, and as many great poets have died even before that age as have survived it.

Mr. Hardy, perhaps, was fortunate in not being able to achieve his ambition in early life. He always wished to write poetry, but, as a man must live as well as write, he turned to prose as a second-best, and by the age of 60 had written some of the greatest novels of his time. Luckily, this left a great part of his genius virgin soil, and when, after the publication of "Jude," he turned back again to the passion of his youth, it was to come on fresh sources of imaginative riches on the exisence of which even his ardent admirers had not dreamed.

Happy is the author who can renew his creative life in this fashion. All great writers, as they grow older, seek to conquer new worlds for their imagination. Ibsen breaks through from realism into symbolism. Henry James studies the animalculæ of human relationships through a microscope of over increasing magnifying power. No good writer is content to go on repeating his successes. He must find new methods or new materials; or he will lose the impulse to write. Mr. Hardy is fortunate beyond all but a few writers in having discovered both new methods and new materials in his old age; and, as a result, his creative energy was as remarkable in his seventies as in his youth or in his middle age.

There is no need to raise again the question whether his novels or his poems are likely to prove the more lasting. Mr. Hardy, it is certain, will be remembered both in fiction and in verse. His verse is not the rival of his prose: it is an addition to it, written probably when the impulse to write prose was exhausted. Even if he had written no verse at all in the last twenty years, it is doubtful if he would have given us any more great novels.

It is a curious fact, by the way, that in modern England the writers who have lived longest have been for the most part men of a melancholy rather than of a jovial temper. Few of the great comic writers have lived so long as Wordsworth, Carlyle, Tennyson, Newman, and Mr. Hardy.

On the other hand, Mr. Robert Bridges, who will be eighty next year, may be cited as an instance of longevity among the optimists.

BOBBIE AND HIS PA

BY Wm. P. KIRK

Our teecher was telling us what maiks Vol-cainos and Erth Quaiks, and after she toald us she sed we shud ask our pairents to tell us sum moar beekaus she dident have time to tell us all about it.

I guess she toald you all she knowed, Bobbie, sed Pa wen I toald him what our teecher sed. I guess she knowed that I know moar about them things than any teecher, sed Pa.

She dident say anything about you, I sed, she jest toald all us kids that we shud ask our pairents. I aint sure wether I shud ask you or wether I shud ask Ma, I sed.

Pa laffed.

At what are you crickering at? sed Ma. Indeed, sed Ma, I feel quite sure that I cud tell Bobbie quite as much about Vol-cainos and Erth Quaiks as you can, sed Ma.

Tell him, then, sed Pa, it is juke with me, sed Pa. I want to reed about this gaim, anyhow, sed Pa.

Well, Bobbie, sed Ma, the center of the erth on which we live on, sed Ma, is full of Molten Matter called Saliva, sed Ma.

Ha, Ha, sed pa, that is a hot one.

Indeed it is hot, sed Ma, it is melting.

But you doant mean Saliva, sed Pa, you mean Lava. Ha Ha, sed Pa, that is a good one.

Then Ma got pritty mad. I wud suggest that you tell Bobbie what he wants to know, sed Ma, and leave me out of it. I guess I am gitting to be a Back Number around here, sed Ma.

You bet you do count for much, said Pa. Doant cry, little gurl, sed Pa. Go ahed and tell Bobbie about the Saliva, sed Pa.

I ment to say Lava, Bobbie, sed Ma. The center of the erth is all melted matter called Lava, Bobbie, sed Ma, and the outside crust is formed of ground and rocks, etc. Well, sed Ma, every onst in a wile sum water from the bottom of the oshun leeks thru into the hot melted Lava, sed Ma, wich maiks steem and gas, the Reesult of wich, Ma sed, is a terribul X-ploshun, wich maiks a Erth Quaik such as they had reesently in China, sed Ma.

In Japan, sed Pa.

Deer me, sed Ma, I can't see why in the wurld you leeve anything to me at all, sed Ma. You are the moast agger-vating person I have ever met, sed Ma to Pa.

And the cutest, too, aint I? sed Pa.

You are about as cute as Forty Beelow Zeero, sed Ma.

Then Ma and Pa dident say no moar, so I cant rite no moar about Erth Quaiks or Vol-cainos.

I guess them things cums to show us that we aint the Whole Cheese, that is all the reeson I know why they cum.

Editorial Comments

The position of insurance companies in Japan is a puzzle to every man. What stand the Japanese companies have taken or contemplate taking, is not easy to find out in the mass of verbiage that seems to cloud the subject in the Japanese papers. It is taken for granted that if the insurance companies of Japan were compelled to pay they would have to go out of existence. The question then resolves into what assistance, if any, the Japanese Government is prepared to give.

No decision has been reached on this head as a great deal of ambiguity exists about the attitude of the insurance companies themselves despite the declaration they have made concerning their willingness to pay solatia to the best of their means. Reuter's sometime ago mentioned that the insurance companies had in view the payment of ten percent of the sums insured, but any one who has studied the finances of the Japanese insurance companies knows that only three or four companies are in a position to do this without obtaining aid from the Government. To the business man who had insured his property, in Tokio and Yokohama and has now experienced the losing of it nothing is more perplexing than the conflicting report as to what the Japanese insurance concerns are planning to do.

The foreign insurance companies operating in Japan have already announced that they will not recognise any contractual liability for the damages, nor can they make any payment whatever apart from the terms of the policies or under the name of solatium. One admires the desire of the Japanese fire insurance companies to make a sacrifice, but it is clear that their capital does not admit of this. We would like to see the authorities in Japan face this urgent situation now, when a settlement of it is ten times as valuable to the sufferers at it will be a year hence.

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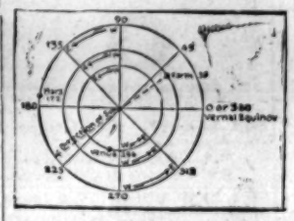
:-: Finding The Planets :-:

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

Referring to a recent article in which I explained to an inquirer the relative positions of the planets when they are called "evening" or "morning" stars, Mr. Charles Adkins, of Dayton, Ohio, writes that he has prepared a simple apparatus by which the movements of both inside and outside planets are correctly, represented, as well as the movement of the moon, thus clearing up what "seems to be an everlasting mystery to so many people."

Mr. Adkins does not describe his apparatus further than by saying that it resembles a clock dial, but with months reading round to the left instead of hours reading to the right. Only the sun, Venus, Earth and Mars are represented, together with the moon revolving around the earth, each planet being carried at the end of a clock hand of appropriate relative length.

It would be a source of great interest for anybody to construct for himself a planetary dial, by means of which, with the aid simply of the American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac, he could follow the motions of the planets, and know at any time in what part of the sky to look for any one of them. The plan of such a dial is represented in our sketch.



HELIOCENTRIC LONGITUDES OF THE PLANETS NOVEMBER 1, 1923.

Suppose the sun to be in the center, and let the three circles represent respectively the orbits of Venus, the Earth, and Mars, at approximately their relative mean distances from the sun, which are 67, 93 and 141½ million miles respectively. What we want in order to show how these planets are posited with reference to one another and to the sun on any date, is their heliocentric longitudes, which means the number of degrees that they are east of the first meridian of the heavens, or the vernal equinox, represented by the figures 0, or 360, on the dial.

Looking into the American Ephemeris for November 1, 1923, we find that the heliocentric longitude of the earth on that day is (neglecting the minutes of arc, which would not show on so small a dial) 38 degrees. Estimating this distance with reference to the figures on the dial, we place the earth in its orbit at the point indicated.

Then we find from the ephemeris that on the same date the longitude of Venus is 256 degrees, and measuring around the dial from the zero point, we find the spot where Venus should be placed. In a similar manner we find where to put Mars, whose longitude on November 1 is 172 degrees.

Our dial now shows us at a glance the direction of each of the three planets from the sun, and by drawing straight lines from the earth to Mars and Venus we can judge where they should be seen in the sky with reference to the direction of the sun. The curved arrows show that all the planets are moving in their orbits from west to east. But since the earth turns on its axis the same way, the daily apparent motion of the sun through the sky must be the opposite way, or from east to west.

This being so, inspection of the dial shows that Mars must be a morning star, because it is west of the sun and must, therefore, set before the sun. Setting while the sun is still above the horizon, of course it cannot be seen in the evening. But if it sets before the sun, it must also rise before the sun, so it is evidently visible in the morning sky before sunrise.

Inspection of the dial also shows us at a glance that Venus must be an evening star, since her position is east of the sun, which causes her to set after the sun has gone below the horizon.

By making a larger dial, you could put in the other three naked-eye planets—Mercury, Jupiter and Saturn—and then you would have a movable representation of the whole solar system as far as the naked-eye sees it, and could, by reference to the ephemeris, set each of the six planets, including the earth, in its proper place with regard to the sun, on any day of the year.

A glance at the dial would then always tell you which planets were evening and which morning stars. Around the dial you could arrange, in their order, the twelve constellations of the zodiac. I am sure that everybody would find this a fascinating way to become familiar with the motions of the system of words in which our lot is cast.

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Across The Breakfast Table

W. L. George And His Wife

DEPENDENCE

Mrs. George: You're growing far too dependent on me. And not content with being so yourself, you're teaching the children to do the same.

Mr. George: I don't understand you at all.

Mrs. George: I mean that I'm worn out with deciding whether you should wear a blue or a gray suit, whether Alan should go for a ten-mile bicycle ride or not. And when I've decided all that, little John says: "Shall I make mud pies or weed my garden?"

Mr. George: Well, you don't take it at all kindly when any of us three do anything on our own. We always do the wrong thing.

Mrs. George: Absolute nonsense. You simply drill yourself and the children to have no independence. As soon as you come into the house you call for me and so do the children. Sometimes you all three call together. You can't take a decision.

Mr. George: Because I'm stupid.

Mrs. George: No, not stupid, but lazy.

Mr. George: Well, admitted it is so, aren't you glad we all look up to you and think so highly of you that we ask your advice in all things? If we thought you were a fool we should go on our own and never tell you anything. I assure you that dependence is the greatest compliment a man can pay a woman.

Mrs. George: It may be a compliment but it is a bore. It puts me in the position of never being able to go away, because if I went you wouldn't change your wet socks, and as for the children, they'd sit and mope, waiting for me, me, to find amusement for them.

Mr. George: But you did go away for a week, dear.

Mrs. George: Yes, and you had a chill, Alan and the cook are not on speaking terms, while John has lost a pound.

Mr. George (sardonic): We must all learn to be self-reliant, otherwise you will never be able to go away.

-:- After 30 Years -:-

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

Most of the promissory notes given to Life go to protest because our funds are insufficient to meet them.

Much of the high expectancy roused by youth fades out with the passing years, because it is really nothing more than youth's inherent vitality and exuberance.

Just as much of the attractiveness of the young girl—if ever any is visible beneath the modern war paint—is only the intrinsic charm of maidenhood itself.

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* * *

Let me quote from a letter recently come to my notice. It was written by one successful man to another:

"It was intensely gratifying to know something of the things you have accomplished. To one who knew you thirty years ago, there stands out a memory picture of patient plugging, long hours, leaving Somerville at an unearthly hour in the morning and getting back in the evening long after the sun had set. Even in those days you were a leader. Those were great days!

"My experience convinces me that the rigorous training of the early days is to a considerable degree responsible for many characteristics which stand out as the high spots in your remarkable career. The article speaks of your Mother. How well I remember her! Quiet, gentle, strict, but always with an eye single to your welfare. How often I have seen you rebel because of discipline.

"Those were great days! You chose the hard, sure way. . . . Results? You have carved out a budding promise of last Spring.

One reason, among many, for the success and failure of people is the helpful or harmful influence of parents.

That is only mentioned here because the writer of this letter evidently recognised the contribution of the mother's "rigorous training" to the success of the "hero" of this story.

Self-discipline is rarely an original impulse.

Most commonly it is learned from a parent who knows the value of obedience to authority and law toward the making of a fruitful character.

* * *

These lines are addressed mainly to those who still have the means of fulfilling the unexpended promise of youth.

To such I would say: Look ahead with vision and determination to the passing of the years, so that after thirty years you may look back upon your life with the same satisfaction that a successful Autumn may look back upon the remarkable career. It is the habits formed in early life that very largely determine a man's future, and you in your early days were possessed of that tenacity and perseverance that thus early made you an outstanding figure."

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The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

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The C.N. s.s. Tungting will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

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The I-C. s.s. Wingsang was expected to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Kanchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang was expected to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning lef Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kaho left Amoy on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow left Tsingtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday, and docked at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 10 o'clock this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei this morning.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Chefoo on Tuesday night and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.M. s.s. Kungping left Newchwang for Haicnow on Monday. of'V

The C.M. s.s. Tungwah left Chefoo for Amoy on Tuesday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki this morning, and docks at the Wayside Wharf. The vessel will sail for the same port at daybreak Friday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Takada left Calcutta on Friday, November 9, and is due in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about December 4.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay, is expected to leave Singapore for Shanghai via Hongkong tomorrow.

The B.I. s.s. Orissa is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai via Kobe about November 26.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva, from London on October 27, was expected to leave Colombo on Sunday, and is due in arrive in Shanghai via Singapore and Hongkong about December 5.

The Ben Line s.s. Benmacduchi sailed from London on November 2 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about Dec. 27.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Calchas left Singapore on November 16, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on Sunday.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar is due to leave London tomorrow, and arrives in Shanghai about January 3.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Theseus left Singapore on Saturday, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on November 26.

The M.M. s.s. Chambord, from Mareilles on October 19 with mail, left Saigon at 11 a.m. Monday, and is expected in Shanghai on Sunday, November 25.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Helenus left Kobe on Tuesday, and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama and Otaru on November 29.

The M.M. s.s. Porthos arrived in Shanghai from Kobe yesterday and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Marseilles at noon tomorrow, and passengers may embark after 10 a.m. Trunks should be delivered to the Company's office before noon today.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva, from London on October 27, is expected to leave Singapore next Sunday, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong about December 7.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, today, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on Sunday.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland was due to leave San Francisco on Tuesday, and is expected in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on December 10.

The S. and B. s.s. West Prospect is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles today, and will sail for Hongkong and Singapore on Nov. 24.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson, from Seattle on Nov. 10, is due at Yokohama today, and is expected in Shanghai via Kobe on November 27.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson is due to leave Seattle today, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on December 9.

The Dollar s.s. Stanley Dollar left Yokohama on Monday and due in Shanghai via Kobe next Sunday.

The Dollar s.s. M.S. Dollar left San Francisco on October 31, and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama about the end of November.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar is due to leave San Francisco on November 24, and is expected in Shanghai via Manila about January 10.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar was due to leave Puget Sound for Kobe on November 20, and arrives in Shanghai at the end of Dec.

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar will leave San Francisco on January 5, and arrives in Shanghai about the first part of February.

The Dollar s.s. Grace Dollar is due to leave Portland for the Orient on November 28.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft from San Francisco on Novembe 8, is due at Yokohama from Honolulu tomorrow, and arrives in Shanghai via Kobe on November 28.

The T.K.K. s.s. Shinyo Mar will arrive at Woosung from Hongkong tomorrow, and salis for San Francisco in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 2:30 p.m., and the ougtoing tender with passengers and baggage for Woosung will leave at 3:30 p.m.

The O.S.K. s.s. Alabama Maru left Hongkong yesterday morning, and is due in Shanghai on Saturday. The steamer will sail for Puget Sound via Japan ports on Sunday morning.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Oanfa, from New York, left Kobe yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Moji on Saturday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison left Shanghai yesterday morning, and is due to arrive in Seattle via Japan ports on December 7.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson is due to leave San Francisco next Wednesday, and is expected in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on December 17.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln left Hongkong at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and is due in Shanghai about 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, docking at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The liner will sail for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Cleveland	Oct. 27
Tenyo Maru	Oct. 30
India Arrow	Nov. 1
Tahchee	Nov. 7
Korea Maru	Nov. 8
President Pierce	Nov. 10

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia	Oct. 28
Empress of Canada	Nov. 20

FOR SEATTLE

Eldridge	Oct. 23
Manila Maru	Oct. 23
President Jefferson	Oct. 28
King Cadwalton	Nov. 2
Canadian Skirmisher	Nov. 3
Africa Maru	Nov. 4
Iyo Maru	Nov. 9
President Grant	Nov. 9
Hawaii Maru	Nov. 15
President Madison	Nov. 21

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

Alcinous	Oct. 21
West Niger	Nov. 2
West Cayote	Nov. 8
Rigi	Nov. 1
West Jester	Nov. 14

FOR COLUMBIA

Mary Horlock	Nov. 3

FOR NEW YORK

Hague Maru	Oct. 27
Suruga	Oct. 28
Slavic Prince	Oct. 31
City of Oran	Nov. 2
Taketoyo Maru	Nov. 6
Teucer	Nov. 10
Bolton Castle	Nov. 10
Heffron	Nov. 13
Ajax	Nov. 2

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Atreus	Oct. 25
Kitano Maru	Oct. 27
Memnon	Oct. 30
Caledonia	Oct. 30
Teiresias	Nov. 1
Nellore	Nov. 2
Glenogle	Nov. 3
Haruna Maru	Nov. 3
City of Hankow	Nov. 7
Adrastas	Nov. 8
Doric Star	Nov. 10
Malwa	Nov. 13
Glaucus	Nov. 15
Kamo Maru	Nov. 1
Nyanza	Nov. 21

FOR HAMBURG

Weser	Oct. 21
Paris Maru	Oct. 21
London Maru	Oct. 31
Amazon Maru	Nov. 7
Havelland	Nov. 15
Pfalz	Nov. 1

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oostkerk	Nov. 10

FOR AMSTERDAM

Ouderkerk	Nov. 16

FOR COPENHAGEN

Chile	Nov. 2
Malte	Nov. 20

FOR MARSEILLES

Angers	Oct. 26
Chili	Nov. 10

FOR TRIESTE

Venezia	Nov. 2

FOR INDIA

Kutsang	Nov. 5
Sicilia	Nov. 11

Steamers Arrived

November 21

Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo.
Tsukuba Maru from Japan
Tjibesar from Europe.
Glenapp from London.
Esang from Hongkong.
Tamba Maru from Hongkong.
Porthos from Kobe.
Shinsei Maru from Japan.
Petkong from Tientsin.
Poyang from Hankow.
Luenho from Hankow.
Tseangtah from Hankow.
Yohyang Maru from Hankow
Tenbergen from .....
Gran from Chinwangtao
Saikio Maru from Dairen.
Tjisondari from Batavia.

Passengers Departed

Per C.M. s.s. Feiching for Wenchow: Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison for Seattle: Mr. Harvey V. Stokeley, Mrs. Elizabeth Philbey, Mr. H. A. Smith, Mrs. H. K. Dimelow, Miss Patriem; for Europe: Mr. Rudolph Heinemann, for Kobe: Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craven, Messrs. M. F. C Cudlip, J. R. Conrad, J. P. King, W. W. Campbell.

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S.S. "ALPS MARU" ..... Jan. 9

FOR NEW YORK. Via Japan Ports, San Francisco and Panama
S.S. "HAVRE MARU" ..... Jan. 5

FOR TACOMA AND SEATTLE. Via Dairen, Japan Ports, Victoria and Vancouver.
S.S. "ALABAMA MARU" ..... Nov. 25
S.S. "ARABIA MARU" ..... Dec. 19

FOR HONGKONG (DIRECT).

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tientsin and Dairen
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" ..(Direct to Tientsin) Nov. 27
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ....(Via Tsingtao) .....Dec. 9

FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung an Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Dec. 5
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" ..... Dec. 12

FOR JAPAN. DIRECT.
S.S. "ALABAMA MARU" ..... (For Kobe) Nov. 25
S.S. "ALPS MARU" .....(For Kobe) .....Dec. 7

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	Leave Shanghai	Arrive Vancouver		Leave Shanghai	Arrive Vancouver
E/Russia	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	E/Canada	July 21	Aug. 4
E/Australia	Dec. 24	Jan. 9	E/Russia	Aug. 2	Aug. 18
E/Asia	Jan. 12	Jan. 28	E/Australia	Aug. 18	Sept. 3
E/Russia	Feb. 9	Feb. 25	E/Asia	Aug. 30	Sept. 15
E/Australia	Feb. 25	Mar. 12	E/Canada	Sept. 15	Sept. 29
E/Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31	E/Russia	Sept. 27	Oct. 13
E/Russia	Apr. 5	Apr. 21	E/Australia	Oct. 13	Oct. 29
E/Australia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Asia	Oct. 25	Nov. 10
E/Asia	May 10	May 26	E/Canada	Nov. 10	Nov. 24
E/Russia	May 31	June 16	E/Russia	Nov. 22	Dec. 8
E/Australia	June 16	July 2	E/Australia	Dec. 8	Dec. 24
E/Asia	July 5	July 21			

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S.S. President Taft	Dec. 14
S.S. President Cleveland	Dec. 27
S.S. President Wilson	Jan. 3
S.S. President Pierce	Nov. 19

FOR HONGKONG and MANILA

S.S. President Taft	Nov. 30
S.S. President Cleveland	Dec. 12
S.S. President Wilson	Dec. 19
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- Yamashiro Maru ....Nov. 24
- †Shanghai Maru .....Nov. 27
- Kumano Maru .....Nov. 29
- Omi Maru .....Dec. 1
- Nikko Maru .....Dec. 5

FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA B. C.
- Yokohama Maru .... Dec. 16
- Kaga Maru .....Jan. 12

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape From Kobe.
- Kawachi Maru .. ..Dec. 13
- Katori Maru .....Dec. 1

FOR EUROPE
- *Tayohashi Maru .....Dec. 2
- *Dakar Maru .....Dec. 12
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- S.S. "HINDENBURG" ..... 12,000 tons d.w. about 31st Dec.
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fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
11h. 45m.	8ft. 2in.		

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(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
10	41	10	57

Time of Moonrise, Mon	Moonset, Sun	Sunrise,	Sunset, Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets	
4.25 p.m.	5.07 a.m.	6h. 33m.	4h. 58m.	5h. 48m.	5h. 43m.

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PORTHOS			23rd Nov.
ANGKOR		19th Nov.	7th Dec.
CHAMBORD	19th Oct.	9th Dec.	21st Dec.
PAUL LECAT	2nd Nov.	23rd Dec.	4th Jan.
ANDRE LEBON	16th Nov.	6th January	18th Jan.
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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Nov. 23	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln	S. Francisco	Dec. 12
Nov. 24	8 p.m.	Alabama Maru	Tacoma	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Nov. 23	10 a.m.	Porthos	Marseilles	Dec. 28
Nov. 27	10.30 a.m.	Kalyan	Marseilles	Dec. 29

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11. a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tsingtao & Dalny	Today	11 a.m.	Saikio Maru
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	8.30 a.m.	Shengking
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	7.30 a.m.	Fausang
Chefoo and Tientsin	Nov. 23	9 p.m.	Hsinming
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Nov. 23	9 p.m.	Esang
Tientsin	Nov. 23	9 p.m.	Kwangping
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Nov. 24	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Nov. 24	9.30 a.m.	Sinkiang
Tientsin & Newchwang	Nov. 25	10.30 a.m.	Ningpo

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	7.30 a.m.	Yatshing
Swatow	Today	8.30 a.m.	Chusan
Swatow	Today	8.30 a.m.	Sulyang
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 23	9 p.m.	Kwangtah
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 23	10 a.m.	Porthos
Amoy	Nov. 24	9.30 a.m.	Liangchow
Swatow	Nov. 25	10.30 a.m.	Yingchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train.
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train.
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M
Japan ports	Nov. 23	7.30 a.m.	Kaiser-I-Hind
Japan ports	Nov. 23	1.30 p.m.	Shinyo Maru
Japan ports	Nov. 24	8 a.m.	Yamashiro M.
Japan ports	Nov. 26	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Japan ports	Nov. 24	1 p.m.	Kashima M.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Nov. 22 — New York via Suez	Eastern Prince	Br. Dod. & Co.
Nov. 23 3.30 San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 24 9.30 San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Nov. 25 — Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 25 — Tacoma	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 25 — New York via Suez	Munster Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
Nov. 27 — Seattle	Shidzuoka M'	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 30 — New York via Suez	C. of Corinth	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 30 — New York via Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 1 — New York	Takaoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 1 — New York	Takaoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 3 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 3 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 9 — Tacoma	Arabia M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 12.— Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Portland, Ore.	W. Nomentum	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — San Francisco	†Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 16 — Seattle	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 17 — San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 19 — New York via Suez	Calchas	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 22 — New York	Havana Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Dec. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 27 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 27 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 3 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 8 — Seattle	†P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 12 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
Jan. 12 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 13 — San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 19 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 20 — Seattle	†P. Madison	AM. Adl. O. Line

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Nov. 23 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 23 9.30 *Moji, Kobe	Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M. M. & Co.
Nov. 24 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 27 - Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 29 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 5 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Nov. 23 — Calcutta	Tanda	Br. M. M. & Co.
Nov. 23 10.00 *Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 24 — Singapore	W. Prospect	Am. S. & B.
Nov. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 26 — Hamburg	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Oanfa	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 29 — Scandinavia	Afrika	Dan. E. A. Co.
Nov. 31 — Hamburg	Hindenburg	Ger. H. S. Line
Dec. 1 — London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 1 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Karachi	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 2 — London	Toyohashi M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 3 — Hamburg	Glenamoy	Br. G.L.E.A.
Dec. 5 — Hamburg	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 6 — Hamburg	Ermland	Ger. H. A. Line
Dec. 6 — London	Barpedon	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 7 — Hamburg etc.	Glengarry	Br. G. L. E. A.
Dec. 7 — Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Dec. 8 — Bombay	†Soudan	Br. M. M. Co.
Dec. 9 — Hamburg, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 10 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Tokio	Br. J.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 12 —Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 13 — Liverpool	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 15 — London	Aisuta M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19 — Hamburg, etc.	Autolycus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 21 — Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M.M. Cie
Dec. 24 — Rotterdam	Zosma	Dut. H. G. Line
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26 — Hamburg, etc.	Dardanus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 26 — Liverpool,	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 27 — Hamburg, etc.	†Kashima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 27 — London	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 3 — London	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 4 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	Menelaus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†A. Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 31 — London	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 5 — London	†Kashgar	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 19 — London	†Morea	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 4 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 18 — London	†Naldera	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Dec. 1 — Melbourne, etc.	†Fastern	Br. B. M. & Co.
Dec. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 5 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 2 — Melboure, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Nov. 22 10.00 *Swatow	Chusan	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 22 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 22 5.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Nov. 22 10.00 *S. H'kong, C'ton	Yatshing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 22 — Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 22 10.00 *S H'kong, C'ton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 23 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 23 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 11.00 *A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 — Hongkong, Canton	Kwangtah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 25 noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 26 — Hongkong, Manila	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 29 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 30 — Hongkong, etc.	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Nov. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 1 — Hongkong, Manila	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 5 — Hongkong	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 11 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Nov. 22 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 22 1.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Nov. 22 10.00 *Chefoo, Tientsin	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 — Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 24 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 11.00 *Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 D.L. W. C'foo, Tsin	Esang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Nov. 24 — Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Nov. 25 noon Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 25 noon T'tsin, Dairen	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 — Dairen	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 28 9.00 *Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Nov. 22 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenbo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 22 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangsbun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 22 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 23 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 23 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 24 D.L. Pukow	Yusang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 25 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 26 1.00 Pukow	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 26 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpo	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow	Tuckwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow	Tungting	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Nganking	Br. B. & S.

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Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
1 C	Nov. 8	Algol	Fr. Sloop
FNB	Oct. 27	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
EEW	Nov. 7	Fushima	Jap. Gunboat
BNB	Nov. 3	Hawkins	Br. Cruiser
U.S.N.B.	Nov. 6	Helena	Am. Cruiser
Mc M	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
McW.	Nov. 3	Petersfield	Br. Gun-boat
JNB	Nov. 26	Saga	Jap. Gun-boat
1 C	Nov. 20	Seb. Carboto	Ital. Gun-boat
FEW	———	Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
YTPDW	———	Woodlark	Br. Gun-boat

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Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries, Diamond Rings, Motor Car, Guns, etc.

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Suite mahogany-stained bedroom furniture fitted with bevelled mirror, Mahogany-stained sideboard, Extension dining table, Dining chairs, White enamel double mirror door wardrobe, Brass Simmons twin bedstead with spring & hair mattresses, Lady's wardrobe trunks, Hat Box, Books, Oil painting, Musicstand, Card table, "Morriss" rocking chair, Mah jong set, Electric table fan, White enamel iron cot, Wall clock, Gent's American wardrobe trunk, Gramophone, Overcoating, Steel Mantle clock, Dark-stained bevelled glass front silver ware cabinet, Teak wood book case, Large mantle picture "The Cavalier" made by "Hall & Holtz," Oak wood double bedstead with Simmons spring iron double and single bedstead with wire & other mattresses, Double spring couch and arm chairs, Hat stand, Seed-cleaning machine, Shannon file case, Glass front file cases, New German square stoves, Junker & Ruh stove, Humphreys geyser, Enamelled sink, Overmantle, Porcelain wash basin, Enamelled iron bath, Copying press Gas cooking stove, New wood stoves, Tientsin carpet, Axminster carpet, Violin, Banjo, and sundries, etc., etc.

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NINGPO HOSPITAL CELEBRATES ITS 80TH BIRTHDAY

Was Founded By Dr. MacGowan, Baptist Missionary

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Ningpo, Nov. 20.—The Hwa Mei Hospital, the pioneer hospital in Ningpo, connected with the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society, celebrated its eightieth anniversary this morning at the north gate. A crowd of people representing various bodies in the treaty port were present, among them including: Hon. Hwang Ching-lan, taoyin of Ningpo; Mr. E. W. Carey, customs commissioner; Mr. Chang Shih, magistrate of Ninghsien; Mr. Chang Siang-shan, senior gentry; and Dr. J. T. Proctor of the Baptist Mission at Shanghai.

Mr. Chow Chang-sheo, pastor of the hospital, presided over the meeting. After scripture reading by Mr. Wu Kwang-tao and invocation by Pastor Chih Chi-yuing of the West Gate Baptist Church, Mr. Chang Siang-shan gave a report on the development of the hospital.

"It was eighty years ago," said Mr. Chang, "that Dr. D. J. MacGowan, a Baptist missionary, established the hospital at the Yuen-hsing-kwan Toaist Temple at the north gate. Dr. MacGowan not only established a dispensary and hospital but did as well considerable travelling in the province holding eye clinics in Fenhwa, Tsz-chi, Tinghai, Taichow, Wenchow, Kinhwa, Shao-hsing, and even going as far as Hangchow and Huchow."

Succeeding to Dr. MacGowan was Dr. Barchet who came to Ningpo in 1875 and erected the first buildings on the present site. After him, Dr. J. S. Grant, the superintendent of the hospital came in 1889. In recognition of Dr. Grant's service rendered the Chinese people, President Li Yuan-hung presented him this year with a third class Chiaho decoration. That decoration was officially given to Dr. Grant by Hon. Hwang tao-yuin, representing the Chinese government. The Students of the Ningpo Middle School and the Riverside Girls Academy performed a play on "The Record of the Hospital since its Founding."

After the program the guests were invited to see the X-rays installed in the Hospital.

Statistics of interest for 1922:

Hospital in-patients

Men	727
Women	410
Children Male	85
Female	57
	1,279

Out-patient

Department	First Visits	Returns
Men	2,270	4,633
Women	1,160	3,377
"Special"	1,59	
		13,520

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The Hospital is now launching a financial campaign to erect new buildings. The goal is $120,000.00. To date the Chinese gifts amount to $60,000.00.

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Anthony Caminetti Dies In California

(*Exclusive China Press*)

Jackson, Cal. Nov. 20.—Anthony Caminetti, former Commissioner General of Immigration, died at his birthplace here following a short illness.

Mr. Caminetti was born here on July 20, 1854, the son of Italian immigrant parents. After his graduation from college he became a lawyer and practiced for many years as one of the leading members of the California bar. He was a prominent member of the Democratic party and in addition to serving in several capacities in his native state, served as a member of Congress from 1891 to 1895.

He was appointed Commissioner General of Immigration by President Wilson and retired upon the appointment of a Republican successor by President Harding.

Mrs. Arbuckle Asks Divorce From 'Fatty'

Providence, Rhode Island, Nov. 2. Minnie Arbuckle today filed a suit for divorce from Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle on grounds of desertion and non-providing. The petition was dated October 22.

100 Millionth Degree Check On Star Heat

Pasadena, Nov. 6.—It was announced today that Dr. Cabbott of the Smithsonian Institute has succeeded in measuring the heat of stars to a 100 millionth degree.

He also has been successful in analyzing the invisible spectrum from Mars, it is stated.

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San Francisco Teacher Killed In Japan

Miss Evelyn Mantell.

Miss Evelyn Mantell, a San Francisco school teacher, has been officially reported as having lost her life in the earthquake and fire in Yokohama, Japan. She was on a six months' leave of absence for a tour of the Orient and arrived in Yokohama only two days before the disaster.

No Stamps, No Money In South Sea Island

Seattle, Nov. 8.—When a letter from Pitcairn, South Seas arrived here today addressed to "The Island of the United States" it was learned that the inhabitants of that island had no stamps and no money. The letter came via New Zealand, where the postmaster franked it, explaining how the letter reached that place, and hoping it would reach its destination.

Lt. Davison To Pilot Plane Through Arctics

Washington, Nov. 8.—The Navy announced today that Lieutenant Ralph E. Davison, navy aviator, will pilot one of the three planes making up the Amundsen convoy which will attempt next summer to traverse the Arctic regions by airplane.

Americans Unearth Important Antique

Jerusalem, Nov. 6.—Excavators from the University of Pennsylvania today unearthed a sarcophagus bearing the name of Phalion, an uncle of Herod the Great at Beisan, Palestine, known as Bethshean in the Old Testament.

Border Dispute In Balkans Settled

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, Nov. 19.—The Temps learns from Belgrade that the question of the delimitation of the Serbo-Rumanian frontier was finally settled on Saturday by the conference of military experts of the two kingdoms, at which the Jugo-Slav Foreign Minister, M. Nintchitch, was present. The agreement provides for the evacuation of the territories before the end of February.

Vessels Due

Alabama Maru, *Hongkong*	Nov. 24
Arakan, *Tacoma*	Nov. 25
Benlemond, *London*,	Nov. 24
City of Paris, *London*	Nov. 26
Calchas, *Liverpool*	Nov. 25
Chambord, *Marseilles*	Nov. 25
Chohei Maru, *Dairen*	Nov. 26
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Nov. 23
Helenus, *Kobe*	Nov. 29
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Nov. 23
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Nov. 26
Hidenburg, *Hamburg*	Nov. 27
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	Nov. 23
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Nov. 22
Kaho, *Amoy*	Nov. 23
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 23
Kalyan, *Kobe*	Nov. 23
Kanchow, *Hongkong*	Nov. 22
Kungwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 22
Kashima Maru, *London*	Nov. 28
Kianghsin, *Hankow*,	Nov. 29
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Nov. 26
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Nov. 28
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Nov. 24
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Nov. 25
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Nov. 27
Kiangking, *Chungking*	Nov. 23
Kumano Maru, *Osaka*	Nov. 27
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Nov. 23
Liangchow, *Tsingtao*	Nov. 22
M. S. Dollar, *S. Francisco*	Nov. 29
Niigata Maru, *Nagoya*	Nov. 27
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Nov. 22
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Nov. 29
Oanfa, *New York*	Nov. 24
Omi Maru, *Osaka*	Nov. 29
Pres. Taft, *S. Francisco*	Nov. 28
Pawlet, *Portland*,	Nov. 23
Pingwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 29
Pres. Lincoln, *Hongkong*	Nov. 23
Pres. Jackson, *Seattle*	Nov. 27
Rokko Haru *Yokohama*	Nov. 26
Shantung, *Honkong*	Nov. 28
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Nov. 26
Shinyo Maru, *Hongkong*	Nov. 23
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Shidzuoka M., *Hongkong*	Nov. 26
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Suiwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 24
Sunning, *Hongkong*	Nov. 24
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Theseus, *Liverpool*	Nov. 26
Tottori Maru, *Europe*	Nov. 23
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 25
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Whangpu, *Hankow*	Nov. 24
Wingsang, *Hongkong*	Nov. 24
Woosung, *Hankow*	Nov. 26
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka*	Nov. 23
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Yusang, *Tientsin*	Nov. 22
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Weather Report

Nov. 20.—A maximum extends on Central China and a minimum to the South of Vladivostok. A depression, having crossed the Lake Baikal, is moving ESE wards. The typhoon is moving very slowly W wards to the West of Luzon. Cyclonic winds in the typhoon. NWly winds in the North. Strong monsoon in the South. Cold fine weather.

Nov. 21.—The barometer is slightly falling. Local calms, or light Sly breezes. Fine sunny weather.

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